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Ноноково, Мау 25ги, 1907.

Now that our readers have had the full text of the Report of the Commission appointed to investigate Sanitary Law Administration in Hongkong, and can All matters affecting cubicles and cocklefts study in this issue the admirable historical vignetto prepared by one of the Commis- Building Authority in any way. I'he Sanitary sioners, they are in a better position to consider the merits or demerits of the Officer of Health all infractions of the recommendations resulting from that in . | provisions of the Ordinance, which may come to vestigation. It is to be admitted to begin with that the Commission has discovered "an entire absence of system" [para 324], and that this official chaos, as we pointed would be more likely to secure the objects of out in our preliminary observations, is by them. really responsible for all the evils enumer-This establishes the argument that a change is necessary, and there remains only to consider what sort of change. The Coinmissioners recommend that there be two " entirely separate " departments. In theory the Public Works Department and the would destroy the anomaly of permitting Sanitary Board have been separate, but the Board's servants to dictate to the there has been a clashing of their business | Board, and it would save the broth from the in practice. The P. W. D. under the new spoiling hands of too many cooks. It scheme of the Commissioners would confine arranges for "a proper systematizing of the its attention to water supply, public duties of the various members of the staff" roads, sewers, etc., while a "Sanitary and and work shirking is as dishonest as squeeze Building Department" would have entire pidjin. From paragraph 357 onwards, control of all Sanitary affairs, nuisences, there are many practical and sensible etc.; and the construction or alteration details suggested, to which we can do no of buildings. Even a layman would define more here than re-direct the attention of the business indicated by the italicised words our readers. The great question is whether as being a Sanitary or Municipal Board's the Hongkong public is going to let the concern, rather than as Public Works; but work of this costly Commission be laid on the Hon. Mr. F. H. Mar disagrees in toto. His the shelf. It is clear that if the OFFICER

has this to say:

"They propose that the Sanitary Board should be constituted the Building Authority with an Executive Engineer as the chief exeentive officer for performing the duties coming within the scope of the Building Authority. To carry out the important duties devolving upon him, the executive officer must be given higher rank than that of an Executive Engineer and must be approximately on an equal footing with the Director of Public Works. The Board cannot possibly exercise any control in technical matters and their objet executive officer must have such a status as will enable him to do so."

What is this talk of higher rank and 'equal footing'? What can it matter, except to Mr. Chatham? Why should not the Sanitary Board have an expert officer as great as he? We presume that would be the ambition of the new Department, to get a man as good Mr. Chatham goes on to argue that as most building operations interfere with roads and sewers, there would still be clashing; they would still have to call him in. Then again, when schemes involving resumption were affoat, the Sanitary Board would learn valuable secrets at present locked in his own bosom. These things are regular incidents of administration everywhere; municipal authorities pass buildings that touch County roads, and private buildings that connect with public sewers. That at Hougkong, however, would lead to very little clashing, and certainly it would involve less entanglements and delays than exist at present, which reduction is just what the Commissioners aim at. Mr. CHATHAM has his own proposal, which, as we have previously hinted, threatens the further belittling of the Sanitary Board. He says: The proposal I would submit instead of it is that the administration of practically the whole of Part III of the Ordinance should be vested in the Director of Public Works, the present reference of plans to the Medical Officer of Health, the issue of certificates by that officer and the supervision of certain items, such as concreting ground surfaces, &c. by the officers of the Board, being abolished. All powers of modification, except those of a technical nature. should be vested in a small Committee, consistting, say, of 5 members, including the Director

of Public Works who should be Chairman.

Reference to the Governor-in Council should

be limited to appeals from the decisions of

where as decision is the result of a majority

vote. Such an arrangement would greatly

simplify the present procedure. All plans in

conformity with the Ordinance would be passed

by the Director of Public Works and those in

repect of which any modification was required

would be considered by the Committee which

would meet regularly, say, once a week. It

would be the duty of the Director of Public

Works to notify the Medical Officer of Health

of all modifications granted by the Committee.

should be placed under the control of the

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Inspectors should continue to inspect al

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having the right of appeal in cases places.

Such is my proposal in outline, and I believe it the Commission than the scheme put forward The scheme of the Commissioners, as unfolded in the Report, is equally simple. We need not quote it again. It provides for a proper system and organization of business, allocating responsibility, and keeping a firm central grip that is at present lacking.

reasons, barring that he is an official, are Administrating the Government has his a little extraordinary. He says in a Minute way, and other officials, it will get short that "an organisation composed of four co- shrift. They approach it in a spirit of equal heads of departments working under hostility. They have looked for and found a Board of six busy members of the Com- weak points, but they have not as diligently munity and four busy officials, all of whom considered its merits. There is a new have their time already fully occupied, and Governor coming out shortly. It is for the who meet once a fortnight for the trans- public to show its concern, and to continue action of business, is one that, judged by showing its concern, until the scheme the standard of common sense, is fore- evolved for its benefit receives at least fair doomed to failure." We fear it consideration. We suggested that the will be answered that it is not common. apparent apathy and lack of public spirit | Mencrieff and Officers, the Band of the Third sense but official prejudice that can thus with which our community is sometimes easily discount the value of work done by I twitted was due to hopelessness, to despair "busy members of the community." There of ever influencing the bureaucracy that is a plain implication that men with private rules us. There need be no such hopelessbusiness or profession can accomplish no ness. A united front, a unanimous claim really useful public work, a postulate which for some reform, is bound to have its effect. is made ridiculous by the history of the But rights, like favours; are not got from Colony. Why was the Legislative Council officialdom without asking. We must ask, not foredoomed to failure, judging by Mr. and ask often. Where are the letters to the MAY's standard of commonsonse? There newspapers in this matter, the unofficial may be better arguments against the change; | plebiscite, the petition to the new Governor? let us seek for them in the Minute by the | Such things have been ignored sometimes in DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS, Most of it is the 'past, but not always. Mr. Shelton an official defence of his own Department by Hooven's narrative shows that public Cream and Finger Cakes, Apricot Tart. Cheese Mr. Chatham, but on the new scheme he agitation has been effective before. The public has usually found a voice in welcoming or furewelling governors. that merely a mobbish fancy for pageants and ceremonies? We hope not; we trust not; and we expect to hear that voice raised now. Most of us are men accustomed to the privileges of citizenship; it is a pity if life in Hongkong is going to

> Trooper W. J. Gresson of the H.K.V.C. has been granted leave of absence out of the Colony for twelve months.

make us forget them altogether.

At nine o'clock on Monday morning the s Tai Luk will be launched at the Kowloon Docks. A laun ch leaves Queen's Statue Pier at 8.45 a.m.

At Volunteer Headquarters at 5,30 p.m., or Wednesday, 29th instant, there will be a recruits' parade for lecture on the 15 pr. B. L. breech mechanism.

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shows a balance on the credit side \$1,167,515.31, the total assets being \$1,457,621.84, for members and friends. Water pole practice and the liabilities \$290,106,53. For the information of those concerned it is, the new bathing raft being now ready for use. notified in the orders of the Volunteer Corps that the examination of the ambalance class will

Colony's assets and liabilities on March Slat

be carried out by an officer of the R. A.M. C. at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.15 p.m. on Monday. Don't be led away by vagrant fancies. There must be no more whims about making a change. But to move forward there must be love your work, accompanied by enthusiasm and

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with as much sest as the sight of billiards. Yesterday, being Empire day, was observed locally as a public holiday, and most vessels in port dressed ship. Many picnic parties left Hongkong early in the morning to spend the day on other shores, while sportsmen who stayed behind found sufficient amusement on the bowling green or the tennis court. Rain interrupted the afternoon enjoyment in most this Committee, members of the Committee

> A correspondent at Pactingfu states that many inquiries are made there by natives as to whether more Chinese workmen are to be wanted in the Transveal mines this year. The point about this item of news is the testimony which it bears to the proper treatment of the coolies in the mines, because no Chinaman now offers without "talking it over" with someone who has been there.

The Earl of Meath whose name Empire Day brings prominently before the public, is one of those peers who have, by descent, come to his title through a tragedy. In the duelling of 1.21 per prisoner, against 1,029 in the the various Indian railways were of course days at the close of the eighteenth century the then Earl of Meath, a young bachelor, had "an affair of honour" with a brother Irishman, Lord Meath fell in the duel, with the consequence that the title devolved on the grandfather of the present Earl.

The Chinese in Siam have petitioned for t fully accredited plenipotentiary to the court of Siam. The particular mis grievances that are mentioned in the petition are four. The hinese are expected to pay a poll tax to the Government ere they can enter the country books bound during the year under review. Then they have to serve in the Siamese army. The rules and regulations for the government whether they will or not. Chinese are selected to do rough and unpleasant work in the country The rules and regulations under which they live are very repressivé and severe.

When Lord Cromer was originally appointed British Agent in Egypt opinion was by no means upanimons as to the fitness of the nomination. It was thought by some that he would prove too much of the autocrat for the position. How signally such misgivings were disproved is known to all, Invoking the assistance of Sir Colin Scott Monorieff and Sir Edgar Vincent, Lord Cromer immediately reformed the system of public works and finances, next the judicial system, then the Army, then education, and so on throughout the whole administrative system. | aue to

The house boat Yona, which has been stranded for a week in a bay beyond Capsuimun Pass, was refloated on Thursday night at high water,

and brought back to Hongkong. A telegram to the Manila Cablenews from Beguio, where the Phillipine Commission sits, says that the Commission has possed an act " prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors non-Christians." There is something ridiculous in making a man conform to the Shorter Catechism in order to get a drink.

By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. W. Scott

Battalion "The Duke of Cambridge's Own" (Middlesex Regiment) will play the following programme of music during dinner at the Hongkeng Hotel, this (Saturday) evening :--Overture ...... "Rosamunde," ..... Schubert Value Lente ... "Amoureuse," ........... Berger Recollections of Gounod ...... Godfrey Song ...... "The Maid of Malabar," Adams Selection...... "Nelly Neil,"................. Caryll Polka ..... "Hannah," ..... DINNER MENU .-- Hors-d'ouvre -- Anchovy Canapés. Soup—Windsor Soup. Fish-Boiled Fish and Anchovy Sauce. Entrées—Stowed Steak and Mushrooms, Ox Tongue & la Toulouse, Lobster Patties. Curry—Dry Curry. Joints—Roast Australian Lamb and Mint Sauce, Roast Chicken and Celery Sauce, Boiled Corned Beef and Carrot Pâte de Foié gras en l'Aspic and Beetroot Salad. Sweets-Bread and Butter Pudding, Noyau Ico

Biscuits. Coffee-Dessart-Fruit.

The keeping of cats is suggested by Dr. A. Buchauan, of Amraoti, as a preventive of plague. Dr. Buchanan observed that, although they might contract plague, there is no evidence that cats spread the disease, and their utility in | problem. keeping rats "under danger point" made him study the question in various districts. He had a cat census taken in his district, and in more than one village where dirt was abundant he traced its immunity from plague to the cat. He explains the theory briefly thus : buffaloes, milk, cats, few rats, no plague. He cites statistics in various villages to show that where cats were numerous there were few or no cases of plague, and vice versa. He calls attention to-f the fact that the cat is the only anim aleacred to Mahomedan and Hindu alike as well as to the ancient Egyptian, and enquires if its unique position is due to its having been recognised in early times as a preventor of plague.

ROWING.

ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB.

The scratch fours for which four crows are entered stroked respectively by F. A. Biden E. W. Carpenter, H. W. B. Kennett and H. L. Garrett will be rowed this afternoon, the first heat taking place at 5, the second heat at 5,30 and the final at 6.30 p.m. Mr. F. W. Warre will act as starter and umpire. The club launch to follow the races, will leave Statue Wharf at 4.45 p.m. There will also be a launch will commence on Monday, the 27th instant,

DIAMORIA JAIL.

The report of the Superintendent of the prison, for the year 1906, shows that the total number of prisoners received into prison during the year and the corresponding numbers for the year 1905 were 5,799 for 1906 and 6,227 for 1905. There was thus a decrease of 428 on the total number of admissions as compared with the previous year. In consequence of the opening of the Military Prison at the beginning of the year no. European Courts-Martial prisoners have been received into this prison during the year under review. The number of prisoners admitted to the prison in 1906 for offences not of a criminal nature was 3,224, and 62 per cent of the total admissions to prison were for non-criminal offences. The following table shows the number of prisoners committed to prison without the option of fines and in default of payment of fines :--

In default of paymented of fine. Served Paid full Paid part Total. imprison-

There were 81 juveniles admitted into the prison, 33 of whom were sentenced to be whipped in addition to various terms imprisonment varying from twenty-four hours' detention to one month's imprisonment with hard labour. The perceutage of convicted prisoners admitted to prison with previous convictions recorded against them was 13.00 as compared with 3.50 for the year 1905; of these I find that four men represent 20 convictions. The number of convictions from the New sentenced prisoner employed in the shoemakers' are received from the travelling public in a year. shop fatally stabbed a fellow prisoner for which This number will, probably, be very largely he was subsequently tried and hanged. There increased when other reports are furnished. were 18 deaths from natural causes, one murder, four executions and two births. Eleven prisoners were released on medical grounds. Hard labour, 1st class, was enforced by means of crank, shot, and stone-carrying. Satisfactory [progress has been made in the various industries in the prison during the year. There were 3,497,620 forms printed and issued and 15,672 of the prisons have been duly carried out. The complete separation of new from old offenders has been observed and the low number of prisoners in custody has rendered possible strict compliance with the rules relating to juveniles, debtors and remand prisoners. The sanitary condition of the prisons is good. The appliances for use in case of fire are sufficient and in good working order. The conduct of the Staff throughout the year has been good.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The str. Tremont sailed from Manila on 24th

May, and may be expected to arrive here about noon on Sunday, the 26th May. The C.P.R. str. Tartar, arrived Nagusaki at | South coast of China between ] 6 a.m. on Friday the 24th May and left again at 5 p.m. same day for Shanghai where she is due to arrive at IC a.m. on Sunday the 26th | equally, thunder showers.

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.] PRINCE FUSHIMI'S VISIT.

LONDON, May 22nd. Prince Fushimi to-day visited Vickers-Maxim's yards at Barrow, and inspected the Russian cruiser Rurik.

THE UNREST IN INDIA,

London, May 22nd.

Pindidas, the editor and proprietor of the Punjab newspaper India, was arrested yesterday morning and brought to Lahore, where he was charged with exciting disaffection against the Government and inciting the native army to mutiny.

HOME RULE.

LONDON, May 22ad. The Dublin newspapers rejoice at the vote

of the Irish Convention. The Unionists say that the English people have absolutely no excuse for pretending not to understand the real nature of the Nationalists' claim while the Home Rulers declare that no other decision could have been arrived at consistent with the unimpaired self government and they hope that the Government will recast their plans for grappling with the

CRICKET.

London, May 22nd.

Middlesex beat Somerset by 166. Trott re-election. the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th wickets in succession, and the last three wickets also; a world's record.

#### INDIAN ITEMS.

H. M. the Amir has sent a present of four splendid Kandahari horses to H. E. the Vicercy.

The gross Indian Railway earnings for the first thirteen days of April are eight lakks more than those of the corresponding period of last

The Commander-in-Chief and the Army Department are at present busy with the reorganisation of the Indian Commands. It is not likely that orders on the subject will be issued before June 1st. Calcutta police have started a crusade against

post cards containing representations of undrapped female figures. Several shop-keepers have been raided and fines of Rs. 200 inflicted

Messrs. Simpson and Ruducise Brown, the Pearl Fishery experts, who will shortly proceed to England after inspecting the pearl fisheries at Margni Barme will prohably break the journey in Coylon to compare the continue existing on the Ceylon pearl banks with those prevailing at Mergui.

In Reuter's telegram of the 30th April Mr. Morley is said to have stated that the cost the Amir's visit to India was £205,000 sterling. Taking this as practically thirty-one lakhs of rapees the cost may be apportioned as follows :-- Cost of the concentration of troops and the military manouvres at Agra, five and a half lakks; cost of the Chapter and of State visit to Agra, six and a half lakhs; entertainment of the Amir elsewhere, nineteen akhs. Total thirty-one lakhs.

A resolution of the Government of India is published in the Department of Commerce and Industry communicating particulars of the Franco British Exhibition which is to be held in London on May of next year. The objects of the exhibition are stated to be to increase commercial intercourse between Great Britain and France and to materialise their friendly relations, and all British colonies and dependenciesare invited to participate and to demonstrate that within the boundaries of the British Empire can be obtained all the necessaries demanded by modern civilization.

Some time ago it was announced that the Government of India desired to ascertain to what extent gold coins, that is to say, sovereigns and half-sovereigns, were in actual use in India. The object of the enquiry was understood to be a decision of the question as to whether it was desirable to provide a Territories was 152 against 169 for the previous special gold coin, or coins, for Indian year. There were 627 punishments awarded for | circulation. Various trading bodies were rebreaches of prison discipline being an average | quested to co-operate in the enquiries, and preceding year, and two prisoners were sentenced lineladed. It has now been found possible to to be whipped with the birch by the Assistant | report that on Indian railways, taking a quarter | separate chemistry from physics? He could Superintendent. No escapes or attempt to of a year as the basis of calculation, no fewer escape occurred. In the month of May's long | than 2,400,000 sovereigns and half-sovereigns.

WEATHER REPORT.

The Hongkong Observatory yesterday issue the following report:-On the 24th at 11.55 a.m.—The barometer has fallen over N.E. Japan owing to the depression, which has passed to the Pacific to

the S. of Hokkside. Pressure has increased moderately to slightl over China, W. Japan and the Locchoos, and decreased slightly in Formosa. It is highest over Central China, and relatively low over the S coast and Formesa.

Fresh variable to N.E. winds, may be expected in the Formosa Channel, and moderate S.W. and variable winds over the N. part of the China Sea.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 1.06 inches. The forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

to-day is as follows :--Hongkong & Neighbourhood(\*) Formosa Channel ... ... Sameas No. 1 South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks

Same as No. 1 Hongkong and Hainan (\*) Variable to N.E. winds, moderate or fresh THE "STAR" FERRY COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Report for presentation to Shareholders at the Ninth Ordinary Annual Meeting to be held at Messrs. Gibb Livingston & Co.'s Office, St. George's Building, at 12.15 p.m., Wednesday, May 29th, reads

The Directors have the pleasure to submit to Shareholders their report, with a statement of accounts, for the year ending 30th April, 1907. ACCOUNTS.

The nett earnings of the boats, after paying all working expenses and providing for a less of \$9,866,64 on subsidiary coins, were \$48,022.80 as against \$42,998.13 last year, being an increase of \$5,024.67.

The amount at credit of Profit and Loss account, after paying for repairs and placing 88,250.00 to credit of Insurance Fund, is \$27,237.91 which, with the approval of Shareholders it is proposed to appropriate as follows:-Directors' and Anditor's fees ... ...\$ 1,100.00 Dividend of 10 per cent. ... Write off boats ... ... ... 11,000.00 Carry forward to new account ...

\$27,237.91

DUSINESS Passenger traffic, more especially first class. shewed a falling off compared with the previous year, due in large measure to there having been fewer steamers at the Wharves since the typhoen of September last.

TYPHOON OF 18TH SEPTEMBER, 1904. All five boats escaped but were more or less damaged. The guide piles at Ice House street wharf and the erections on the wharf were swept away. The cost of making good damage occasioned by the typhoon was \$11,105.58 of which 3 .771.53 (being the amount spent on the boats) has been debited to Insurance fund.

DIRECTORS. In accordance with the Articles of Association Mr. A. G. Wood retires but offers himself for

Hon. Mr. C.-W. Dickson having resigned, did the hat-trick twice in one innings taking his place was taken by Hou. Mr. W. J. Grasson whose appointment requires confirmation.

Mr. F. Maitland in the absence of Mr. W. H. Potis has audited the accounts now presented. Mr. W. H. Potts offers himself for re-election. C. P. CHATER,

Chairman. BALANCE SHEET, 30th April, 1907. To capital — 10,000 shares at \$10 each fully 10,000 shares at \$10 cach \$5 paid up ...... 50,000,00 To reserve fund ..... insurance fund To unclaimed dividends 18.548.55 To directors' and auditor's fees To balance of profit and loss account .....

\$290,081,58 By value of bouts as per last Since expended.....

166,700.00 By accounts receivable ..... By Hougkong and Shanghai Bank .... By Hongkong and Shanghai Bank No. 2 Hongkong Hotel, debentures... Hongkong and Kowleen Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, loan \$200,081.58 PROFIT AND LORS ACCOUNT.

To ordinary repairs and alterations ......... 10,112.54 ., cost of making good dumage to wharf &c., caused by typheon of 18th Sept. 9.334.05 Insurance fund Falance appropriated as follows:— Directors' and auditor's

...... 8 1,100,00 Dividend of 10 per cent. ... 15,000.00 Written off boats ...... 11,000.00 Carried to new account..... \$ 54,934.50 By halance from last account.....

Nett earnings of boats...... 48.022.80 , Unclaimed dividends forfeited ...... \$ 51,934.50 BEHERVE FUND. To balance By balance from last account............ \$65,000.60 INSURANCE FUND. To cost of making good damage of boats caused by typhoon of 18th Sept. .....

\$ 41,207.90 By balance from last account \$ 41,207.00 LORD KELVIN ON ATOMS.

Lord Kelvin, responding to the toast of the

scientific societies at the universary dinner of

the Chemical Society, last month, said that they had allowed too large a subject to be allotted to him. He believed he must consider that physics was the subject for which he was principally responsible, but how could they only out the Gordiat knot. He hoped Prof. Ray Lankester would not be shocked if he said that the whole affair of chemistry and physics was force. Chemical force was force. physical force was force, and his friend Prof. Ray Lankester would, perhaps, tell them something about moral force (laughter) which culminated in physical force. What was force? He was not going to tell them. There was gravitational force, there was chemical force, which expelled chips from an atom and sent them off at velocities one tenth part of the velocity of light, and electrons sent off with 95 per cent. of the velocity of light. There were direct consequences from Henry Becquerel's aplendid discovery of radioactivity. When we heard of something from which something had been chipped off he thought they had better not call it an atom (cheers). How many atoms there were all of different kinds was a matter for investigation, but he would only just suggest that it was better not to call a thing an atom when it was broken (laughter and cheers). When was an atom not an atom? It was not atom when something could be chipped off of it. He had great sympathy with chemistry. Lord Rayleigh had burned his fingers with phosphorus when he was 13 years old, He (Lord Kelvin) had burned his fingers with phosphorus when he was 82 years old (laughter and cheers). In his old laboratory he had burned his fingers with phosphorus on the last day of of April would have been more appropriate day on which to do that (laughter and cheers). He

Sameas Ne. 1. April in 1906. For so old a person the first day was associated with many scientific societies, all

of which were doing good work, and in their

name he returned them his thanks (cheers).

MR. HOOPER'S APPENDIX.

VITAL PART OF COMMISSION'S REPORT.

The following excellent Historical Review of Sanitary Administration in the Colony appeared Appendix No. 7 to the report of the

ment and a Committee of Public Health and Medical Officer of Health as the Su ordinate Cleanliness was appointed in August, 1843, with of a Body which at any time might cease to authority to enforce rigid santary rules carst. amongst all classes of residents, but no effective measures were taken. Those rules were subsequently formulated by Ordinance 5 of 1844.

enacted by the Amending Ordinance.

6. The Medical Inspector appears to have this continued until 4878.

7. In 1879 four European Inspectors were appointed to Survey Department. 8. The following Chief Inspector was and in

to these four. make a Report on the Sanitation of the Colony. McCallum who was designated "Sanitary concerned I have never known any object

Inspector .. whereby the Governor might constitute a never come never such a well informed compermanent Sanitary Board consisting of the munity; it has been acknowledged as a most Surveyor General, Registrar General, Colonial enlightened community, and such a standard pr of fact the Board consisted of 8

to the Sub Department of Public Works on a property constituted Sanilary Board. Department and was a member and Honorary 26. The following is an extract from the

(Adjutant of the Police), Messrs. McEwen, Manson, Ede, Ho Kai, H. McCallum (Secretary). 14. In the latter part of the year 887 a new | Public Health Bill was introduced into the Legislature and after the fullest discussions extending over some months it was passed but by a suspending clause in the Ordinance it did tion. not become law until it was potified that it was not disallowed by the Queen which notification

was gazetted in May, 1888. 15. This Ordinance was the first which gave the right to the public of electing any representatives on the Board and the important principle was admitted in the connection of the Board

by an unofficial majority should consist of the Surveyor General, made against the Board and its officers in of 1903. Registrar General, Captain Superintendent of Police and the Colonial Surgeon and not more than 6 additional members, 4 of whom shall be ; appointed by the Governor and 2 elected by the

17. It is made evident the latter 6 should be Ratepsyers. non-official members as the last part of the same section says 'non-official members of the Board shall hold office for 3 years".

Thereby the unofficial majority of members "viz. a Royal Commission. of the Board was provided for.

the Attorney General said :- "It must be remembered that the nominee of the Governor when once he has accepted Office and is a member of the Board is perfectly independent. and it must be borne in mind that the new Board will consist of only 4 official members and six unofficial members

19. Mr. McEwen said "there was nothing wrongful acts, and he was awarded \$500 to prevent the Governor appointing say a damages. Military man and so it is not certain that the unofficial element will predominate" to reorganisation of the Board or the honesty of which His Excellency the Governor replied: -" With regard to the Military man, the Military generally have their own Hourd of Health and I do not think it usual- I won't asy it is against the law-to appoint one sing of the town owing to the outbreak of filth

Ordinance of 1887. was introduced into the Legislative Council required. It is not right that Chinese houseauthorising the Governor in case there was no holders should be placed at the mercy of a II. vacancy on the Board to appoint the Medical constable or other subordinate officer whose Officer of Health a member of the Sanitary excessive zeal may lead to such occurrences Board.

22. This was strenuously opposed in the if they remain proof against the temptations to Council, and in support of the opposition Hon- act corruptly that must inevitably be held out ourable Mr. A. McConachie read the following to them. quotation from the report of a Medical Commission appointed by the Governor to enquire | vernor addressed a communication to the into the working of the Medical Department of Chamber of Commerce asking whether they this Colony and which was received by the adhered to the views of Mr. J. J. Keswick,

Governor on the previous day. "he should occupy a seat. He should have an unofficial majority. "no vote, his duties on the Board being

"purely of an advisory nature, it being "undesirable that he should enter into "discussion on points on which he should "be called upon to advise, his duties to "be of a similar nature to those laid down "by the Bradford Corporation and the of the Plebisoite:-

" City of London." 23. The Bill became law and to mark their disapproval of the Medical Officer of Health being added to the Board all the unofficial members of the Board except one resigned.

regretted to state there had been some mis- from the Governor to the Chamber of December, 1902, on the subject :the unofficial members of the Sanitary Board in hered to Mr. J. J. Keswick's views in favour sanitary matters in Hongkong is that no one is regard to the appointment of the Medical Officer of an official majority, as expressed by him responsible. Independence of action by of Health. \* \* \* Some opposition while Chairman of the Chamber, or of the different officers and absence of co-ordination had been offered to his views in certain quarters more recent views expressed by Mr. Whiteand it is not improbable that a compromise will head, the Chamber's representative in the There is a ranitary Board and a President who eventually be suggested by the Secretary of Legislative Council, whose views were meet at stated times and discuss public health State but as yet no decision had been diametrically opposed to those of Mr. Keswick, matters, but their functions are advisory. There

December, 1895, the Honourable Mr. T. H.

the General Board of Health established in gentlemen, could be found who have time Government excepted. The Committee who together of now houses, or the formation of plane if now London under Anthority of the Acis of Parlia and inclination to devote several hours daily organized the ballet are as follows:—Honourable and inclination to devote several hours daily organized the ballet are as follows:—Honourable and inclination to devote several hours daily organized the ballet are as follows:—Honourable and inclination to devote several hours daily organized the ballet are as follows:—Honourable and inclination to devote several hours daily organized the ballet are as follows:—Honourable and inclination to devote several hours: Longon many Ammorray of the Public Health, or ment for the protection of the Public Health, or to such a task is beyond the bounds of C. P. Chater, Honourable T. H. Whitehead, houses, and the enforcement of compliance with bounds of the Public Health, or to such a task is beyond the bounds of Many to the property of health the property of hea any of them, as shall be trong time to the consideration of the consideration of the Governor in Executive Conneil determined to inform you definitely what steps it has been and J. J. Francis. Honourable Captain W. C., she consideration of the consideration of insanitary to be Governor in Executive Conneil determined to inform you definitely what steps it has been and J. J. Francis. and notified, with such modifications thereof | decided to take to place the Sanitary Board on | H. Hustings and Mr. A. Coxon acted as connection with the demolition of content of the sanitary lines. and notined, with such monneculars decided to take to place the Sanitary Board on it. Histories and mr. A. Coxon acre as connection of sanitary lines, areas, and the reconstruction of sanitary lines, areas, areas, and the reconstruction of sanitary lines, areas, areas, areas, and the reconstruction of sanitary lines, areas, areas think fit to adopt, shall for such Time and to the Session. His Excellency made an explanation such Extent or with such Medifications as shall and stated, "Some opposition has been offered to be so notified, extend to, and be enforced within my views in certain quarters and it is not this Colony under the Authority of this Ordi- improbable that a compromise will eventually Under the Ordinance of Order and Clean- yet no decision has been arrived at. There are liness 1866 the Governor was empowered to those who have pretended to see in the action appoint a duly qualified Medical Practitioner to of the Government an attempt to deal a death be Medical Inspector of the Colony who shall blow to the Sanitary Board. I disclaim any perform such duties connected with the Sanitary such motive; and even had such been my object state of the Colony as the Governor shall direct. I should at least have adopted measures better 5. Although the Ordinance was repealed in calculated to effect it-measures which would the following year the above section was re- lave left no doubt whatever as to my intentions." Sanitary method in Shangha and Singapore under the management of a Municipal Council bad no direct staff under him until 1873 when have so for q ver satisfactory results, while a Chinaman was appointed Scavenger for all our system is continually and adversely cri Departments under Survey Department and ticked and not without good reason, as the most changions and the rest poisonems edours are to be n'et with in every street of the town;" The

accumulations of filth discovered in the native part of the city last year were permitted by official neglect. The blame cannot be attri Mr. Osbert Chadwick was commissioned to buted to the Sanitary Board, which never had power to carry out necessary work: Quite 9. No further change seems to have been recently the Honourable the Colonial Secretary made until 1883, when a Sanitary Department, spoke at a public meeting and bore was created as a Sub Department of the Survey testimony to the quality of Hongkong residents. Department, under the directions of Mr. H. He said .- "So far as the public spirit is worthy of support brought forward which

10. In the same year The Order and Clean. has not received support in every way from the Amendment Ordinance was passed inhabitants of Hongkong. inggeon and not less than 2 other members of intelligence could not have been maintained appointed by the Governor, but as a except by reading. With the Honourable member I can cordially agree in this instance and I believe that we have in our midst men 11. Mr. H. McCallum was Sanitary Inspector | eminerally well qualified to render good service

Colonial Surgeon's Report for 1894, concerning

" I return there will be some improvement as to

"the individual members." 27. Mr. W. Danby wrote to the Press calling attention to the crusade being waged rgainst illegal cocklofts, etc., and formally alleging corruption in the Sanitary Administra-

28. The Daily Press said the Government would have to sift the matter to the bottom either by a Commission or otherwise.

29. A resolution of the Sanitary Board was passed that the Colonial Secretary be requested to furnish the Board with the opinion of the legal advisers of the Crown as to whether any legal steps can be taken with a view to obtain-16. The Ordinance ennoted that the Board ing redress for the apparent misrepresentation

Mr. Dauby's letter. 30. At a meeting of the Sanitary Board the President. Honograble Mr. F. A. Cooper, Director of Public Works, minuted as

"I hope that a full and complete enquiry will be made into Mr. Danby's allegations "against the Sanitary Board and its officers, "by apparently the only means now available,

31. An action was brought by Young Shiu 18. In Committee of the Legislative Council, Kam against the Sanitary Board and Police Constable Rae as a test case to try the right of the Sanitary Board to enter premises and pul down cocklefts without getting a magistrate's order, which resulted in favour of

the plaintiff. 32. Another action was brought by Wong Li Yuen against the Sanitary Bourd for

33. "Apart however from any question of the the officers, one lesson clearly appears from the cases that have recently been tried, namely, that should it unfortunately become necessary at any future time to undertake a gaueral cleanbelonging to the garrison to such a Board as diseases, a much closer supervision should be exercised over the operations of the "Whitewash 20. The Board from this time consisted of 10 Prigade" by responsible officers than has members and was constituted as provided for by Litherto been the case. This year Dr. Clark was in charge of the work but he could not 21. In 1895 a new office was created, viz., that possibly exercise personal supervision over the of Medical Officer of Health and in April a Bill whole of the details, competent lieutenants are as gave rise to the case tried on Saturday, even

34. On May 1896, His Excellency the Gowhen he was Chairman of that Chamber, in "That the Medical Officer should be favour of an official majority in the Sanitary "adviser to the Governor on all Sanitary | Board or of the more recent views of the " Malters through the Sanitary Beard to Honourable Mr. T. H. Whitehead, their " which he should be attached and on which Representative in the Council in favour of 35. The Chamber decided to take the opinion

of the community on the subject which they did with the following result :-For the Unofficial Majority, ... 331 For the Official Majority. ... 31 The following is an account of the taking

THE BANITARY BOARD Result of Plebiscite. For a considerable time the subject of whether there should be an unofficial or an official majority in the Sanitary Board has been a vexed question amongst those in the

the Legislative Council the Governor said he ment. In consequence of a communication Professor Simpson's Report dated 22nd

1. The earliest record of any sanitary arrived at. In this queertain state of that body decided to refer the matter to the whom the arrived at. In this queertain state of that body decided to refer the matter to the whom is the state of the filters is whom the administration of the Colony, is when the affairs I was unwilling to assign any public in order that they might submit the whose duties are executive, but there is no Sanitary question was taken up by the Govern. definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community on the matter to definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community on the matter of leading to the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the Coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the community of the coverns definite position to the newly appointed opinion of the coverns definite position defin to-day were accordingly fixed as the days in the Colony and for the maintenance of a on which the ballot should take place. The continuous and progressive policy. It is 25. In the Legislative Council on the 14th voting took place of the City Hall. Two ballet advisble that all municipal health matters be room, one labelled "Unofficial majority" and controlled by a sanitary or health commissioner the other " (ficial majority." To each voter who would be the administrative officer. There and of the protracted delay on the part of the a small ticket was given, and his name is more than ample work to occupy the whole allow the accumulation of fifth or other offensive substances within his premises. This was proper hasis. He said His. Excellency the the voter retired behind a screen and proper hasis. He said His. Excellency the the voter retired behind a screen and proper hasis. He said His. Excellency the the voter retired behind a screen and proper hasis. sive substances within his proper lasts. The said his executive the voter recircu benned a series and it resident of the Public.

followed in 1856 by an Ordinance to regulate Governor in his opening address to the Council dropped, the ticket into the box representing administration of the Public.

When the proper lasts are some and the series of the Public. Chinese purish, and so provided to some state of the Colony of Hongkong as Sanitary Board, meeting once a fortnight, could extended to all male British subjects over question relating to water supply, sewerage and nuisances, within the Colony of Hongkong as Sanitary Board, meeting once a fortnight, could extended to all male British subjects over question relating to water supply, sewerage and extended to all male British subjects over question relating to water supply, sewerage and purished a supply severage and severage follows.

3. "Such of the Orders and Regulations of not believe, and that four or five independent thought of Health established in

hours of 4.30 and 7.30 p.m. Arrangements were made southat the employees of the Dock Combe suggested by the Scoretary of State, but as pany at the various docks should attend the similar arrangement was carried out with regard to those employed at the Taikoo Sugar Works and Meeses: Jardine, Matheson and Company's Sugar Refineries. About an hourafter the ballot was opened to-day nearly 300 residents in 1902. all had recorded their votes.

"The public ballet held for accertaining whother the public were in favour or against the constitution of the Sanitary Board with an unjust. official majority was concluded on Saturday and resulted in an overwhelming majority for an unofficial majority, the small number of 31 voted for an official majority, while 331 voted in favour of an unofficial majority. The number of voters on the list was 364, but two of that number had evidently not voted, as only 362 tickets were found in the boxes."

36. In reply to a question in the Legislative Council on 8th July, 1896, the Colonial Secretary said "That the construction of the Sanitary Board lad been referred to the Secretary of State and that he has also been informed of the result of the Ballot."

37. By a Draft Bill entitled "The Sanitary Beard Ordinance of 1896" it was proposed to reduce the official members of the Board from 4'to 3 and the unofficials to not more than 2.

Apparently the Bill was withdrawn and notwithstanding that the I raft had been approved by the Secretary of State after receiving the plebiscite he did not approve of its becoming law although his decision on that point was never made public.

30. The next election for members of the Beard took place on 19th December, 1899, and the Government numinated 4 members and the Medical Officer of Health in addition to the 2 members elected by the Ratepayers. 40 In 1901 there was friction between the

Inspector, Mr. McCallum was appointed a "As a compalsory member of the Board Medical Officer of Health and the Secretary of Sanitary Institute. The other Inspectors were words are insufficient to express my distinct the Sanitary Roard and Dr. Clark claimed to the Department 13. In 1887 the Board was composed of the "leave the Colony for a time with regret. The Secretary. The President (Dr. Atkinso) Surveyor General (Chairman), Registrar only thing I do not regret leaving is the in a minute to the Government stated that General, Colonial Surgeon, Major Dempster "Sanitary Board as a Body, and I hope before he agreed to the Medical Officer of Health directing the Secretary but he added he (Atkinson) was Head of the Department. The Government in reply stated the Board was the Head.

In 1901 an Ordinance was possed consolidating the laws relating to Public Health, and enacted that the constitution of the Board should be as above, 6 unofficial and 4 official members and the Medical Officer of Health.

42. In August, 1901, Dr. Atkinson was appointed President of the Board and immedistely recommended to the Governor that the Sanitary Board he made a Government Depart-

43. The constitution of the Sanitary Board thereby remained unchanged until the passing of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance 1

To fully understand the reasons for this new Ordinauce it is necessary to trace its History. 14. In 1901 a series of articles appeared in the public press written under the none de plume of Serulator, severely criticising the Sanitary Condition of the Colony and the General Sanitary Administration then in force. 45. This caused a petition to be drawn from the principal residents here to the Secretary of State calling attention to the sanitary condition prevailing and asking for the appointment of experts to be sent out to report

46. In accordance with this request Professor Simpson, M.D., and Mr. Chadwick, C.E., came out and made their reports thereon, and to give | powers. effect to their recommendations, a New | Ordinance was drafted and submitted to the

Legislative Conneil. 47. So far as the administration of the Sanitary Board was concerned this Bill proposed that whilst the Board should still exist, there should be appointed an Officer of the Government to be called "The Sanitary Com-

24. In the opening speech of the Session of | Colony who take an interest in its Govern. 48. The following is an extract from

of the Public Health laws. Lastly, he would be responsible to the Government for the efficient working of the Department, and, like the Director of Public Works, should have a seat on the Legislative Council. Mr. Osbert. Chadwick, C.M.G., is also strongly of opinion that a Hanitary Commissioner is required. . 49. The Bill was read a first time in July

50. The public both European and Chine se on examining it, saw that a very large number of the sections were quite unworkable, drastic and

51. The European section represented by the principal owners of property formed themselves into a committee and en ployed the service . the 4 principal firms of sechitects here to eximine the Bill section by section and report. on the Bill with their suggestions for the improvement of same.

52. This was done and their report forwarded under cover of a Petition from the Committee to His Excellency on 20th September, 1902. 53. The Government thereupon withdraw the Bill and on 6th November substituted another therefor which was read a second time on 27th 29th August, 1903.

54. The Attorney General said in moving the second reading of the Bill "That the original Bill as introduced was the produce of Mesers. Chadwick, Simpson and Clark. Every word of it was placed there by the meelver. So much was the Bill criticised by the architects and by persons who were affected by the Bill such as landlerus and others that this Government felt. that the Bill could not be forced through the Council without the criticisms being considered. In considering them the Government found many useful and valuable suggestions which they have thought it right to adopt and give it was proposed to recognise it by statute.

effect to" paragraph 8 as follows:-

arbitrary powers as the Bill contains -- with an majority. "ideal man whose successors at least could not " be astured a despotic system may be the most , convenient as otherwise it is certainly the "worst. Your petitioners urge that all " important discretionary matters whereof none " nould permit a reference to the Board may be "so referred and that the functions of the "Commissioner if such an officer is to be appointed may be exercised under the controlof the Board restricted to points of detail and "routine. Further as it is intended the Com-"missioner shall be a medical man, Patitioners submit that he should at any rate "be relieved from all such work as specially falls within the province of the Civil Engineer

and Architect." 57. In the new Bill which afterwards became law, the proposed creation of the new office of Sunitary Commissioner was deleted

58. This deletion was quite approved of by the Principal Civil Medical Officer (Dr. Atkinson) who was averse to the creation of

59. His reasons for the approval of the appointment were that they wished to appoint a medical man whom he thought would not have sufficient knowledge to fulfil all the requirements of this office-rather than to the office itself. He did not think a medical man who was a stranger to the Colony should have these

60. It is an open secret that Dr. Clark who had been Medical Officer of Health since June, 1895 (7 years) is the medical man Dr. Atkinson ) refers to, and Prefersor Simpson in his Report said Dr. Clark's knowledge of Sanitary require

ments of Hongkong is unrivalled. 61. Considering that the proposed Sanitary Commissioner was to have been the administra. tive officer and to be responsible to the

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Government for the efficient working of the Department, it is a little difficult to reconcile Dr. Atkinson's objections to the effice when he recommends to the Government the creation of a Sanitary Department of which he accepts the position of Administrative Head.

62. The Bill was fully debated and one thing that the unofficial members of the Legislative Council called prominent attention to, was the constant introduction of fresh Legislation on Sanitary matters no fewer than 23 Ordinances . relating to Building and Sanitation baving been passed within 15 years. The Honourable Mr. C. S. Sharp (Chamber of Commerce) said one thing he felt sure the Community ordently desired to arrive at in regard to these matters if possible was some sort of finality in regard to such legislation as continual introduction of fresh legislation bearing on the same subject cannot fail to have and does have the effect of creating misgivings and great uncertainty in the mind of the public which must be bad for the

place and its prosperity. 63. Mr. Chadwick said the Draft Ordinance) which he drew up had for its object the avoidance of the necessity for further Sanitary

Legislation for the next few years. 64. His Excellency said be earnestly hoped, the Bill would go through, and he hoped they would find some finality in this necessary; legislation on Sanitary matters and that the result would be we at they all hoped, beneficial to the Colony. Notwithstanding this statement, as to the finality of Legislation by this dramance which become law 21st February, 1903, and the notification of the King's non-

disallewance of same in Government Gasette 65. On 19th ? ovember, 1903; the Government introduced an Ordinance No. 23 of 1903 to smend the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance Number 1 of 1903 and amongst its provisions were some which altered the whole character of the sanitary administration by the creation of a Sanitary Department, and thereby gave the Principal Civil Medical Officer the direct administration by holding him directly responsible, which the Attorney-General said

at the time he was not, because he had no anthority when he should have it and that although a Sanitary Department did then exist 66. The Bill became law 19th December 1903. 55. One of the most obnoxious clauses in the This was practically the death knell and extincoriginal Bill was the proposed appointment of tion of the authority to administer the laws by the Sanitary Commissioner and the petition the Sanitary Board and reduced it to a drew purticular attention to that part in department controlled by the Government through the Principal Civil Medical Officer and

6. Another important matter of principle thereby nullified the public wishes as expressed is the question of the expediency of giving to in the plebiscite and approved by the Secretary the Officer of the Sanitary Beard- the pro- of State that the Sanitary Laws should be " posed Sanitary Commissioner-such large and administered by a Board having an unofficial

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SHAVED WITHOUT RAZORS.

BARBERS AGHAST. The Duily Mail reports that scores of excited , Cannon-street Hotel on April 19th to witness smooth cheek, and the more daring touched it barbers ferced their way into a room at the an exhibition of razorless shaving. They were with their fingers; and then, sadder and wiser stirred into tense excitement by seeing a deft men, stele silently away.

with the edge of a match-box. Fress view, organised to show how by covering smoke or read the paper or find his collera beard of any age or growth with a paste made stud. As soon as the paste has made the beard from the "Rezorless Shaving Powder" it was | brittle, it can be scraped off in the manuor possible to remove such beard with the blunt suggested. edge of a paper kuife, or other articles. The paste, it was explained, makes the beard brittle,

in which condition it is easily broken off At ten minutes past three the six persons to be shaved mounted the little platform and walked to their chairs with gloomy, depressed

man," he was urged, but all in vain,

a postcard, a wooden salad spoon, a shoe-horn aqueeze pidgeon. and a match-box. When the remnants of the Lace time belong velly had, plenty man talkee paste had been washed off, the faces were free "Aftab Laces"; finish Laces my go gain, he from the slightest suspicion of a beard. True, talkee, "Oh Shloff, my velly solly my have loose the process seemed rather lengthy and els- plenty dollah dat Laces, you come nex moon." borale; true one of the men mentioned Before time my saves one man he owe allo same that his face smarted a little. But the results \$10.00 for Soda Watab Bottle, he no likes pay,

were indisputable. But now came the great test. A man with a moon full beard mounted the platform. A sudden, Nuddah Mississe makee one custom pay all bush fell on the gathering. The operator, man number ten day morning time, he stop shaving brush in hand, advanced towards bim. Bobbling Well Load side, long way, blong Lavish plaster was administered, but to the one small bill, plenty man pay number ten day, side of the face only. The andience cheered; my velly busy, cachee dat side aftab one o'clock they had the jubilant anticipation of a one-sided he talkee "Too late, Shloff, come nex moon" beard. They were not disappointed. The paste Aftah few moon he no pay, my Mastah lightee was allowed to remain on for ten minutes he one chit; he go shop side, catchee plenty and then the operator scraped it off, and the angullee, talkee my belong too muchee lazy, beard with it. The victim a little later stood up with a full beard on one side of his face and smooth, clear skin on the other.



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TOLD BY A SHROFF

My Mustah, talkee my, inside before time air of condemned persons going to their night "Shanghai Muckalee" one piecee man execution. There were two men wearing talker, Shloff, blong velly had man. Yes, my neckerchiefs, who, with a week's growth on savee, have got good Shloff all same have got their chins, had apparently been recruited from bad piecee. Shloff pidgeon belong planty the street; there were also a fair-moustached thabbello. Some time my allo same wantches young clerk, two British workm n, a portly, cly. Makes go ship-side wantches sanpan, you middle-aged man with bushy side-whiskers, go that side, that man he go shore; sampanwho looked the picture of a highly respectable money makes loose. Some pieces man velly sharp; before time one man talkee my, "You With solemn faces, the victims flung their come next month, Shloff, I'll tell you when to heads back, and had white cloths tucked under come again" That time my no savee plenty their chins. "Cheer up," cried voices in English talkee, my talkee, " All-li," my the crowd, but not a man smiled. The operator, Mississe laugh; he more laugh my! Some who had been mixing his paste in what locked belong velly clever. He talkes " Shloff, takes like a salad bowl, now came forward and Office" by m bye my go Office, he Mastah lathered the men. His composition seemed a talkee "Pay Mississee, My no saven" Some man creamy paste of the consistency of morter, with bave got largee custom, catchee bill makes sing a pungent smell faintly resembling that of "Compladore Pay" my looks a he belong Taipan thinkes belong all plopper, my takes pay Anguished disappointment swept the crowd Compladore, he talkes "No can pay, he owe my when it was seen that the bushy sidewhiskers of more one tour and dallah just now". One time the portly butler were to be untouched. " Be a my go one velly bad Missiree house, have go plenty time before, he talkee." You go outside The lathered men lay back for ten minutes, My door" My talkee, "Yes, Mississee I go having their photographs taken and lister ing outside spose you pay my Mastah bill." What to banter, and then the operator with a bone thing he do? He makes smack my face. Ab paper knife began to scrape the paste off the Yar! Thue, my largee loose face. Have got first victim. The bristles came off with the nuddah men do so fashion. Spose he bill paste. The man got up from his chair clean- belong \$6.10, he pay my \$6.00, no more, talkee. haven, and the tarbers in the gathering "Oh maskee 10 sents can counter discount". were aghast. Then came the turn of the By'm bye nightee time pay my Mastah he other men. They were shaved with the tinkee so my talkee lie, called my ollo Foolo, following articles:—The back of a lady's comb, my must pay, he no can secure no belong my

pay my plenty tlubbelle, he pay half dollah one

lary my no have go he house!

Chin Chin, Mastah. Tlue, my talkee Shloff pidgeon no b'long easy .- Shanahai Mercury.

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NOTICE.

E. S. JOSEPH, Hon. Secretary: Hongkong, 24th May, 1907.

NOTICE. TATE have This Day authorized Mu. WILHELM HELMS and MR. FRITZ LIEB to Sign our Firm. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO. Hongkong, 6th May, 1907.

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Local Secretary. Hongkong, 17th May, 1907.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, On FRIDAY, the 31st May, 1907, at 12 o'clock Noon, at his SALES ROOMS, Duddell Street, (for Account of the Concerned) The Steamer

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PUBLIC COMPANIES

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MIOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL the Company (since its Registration) will be held at the Offices, of the Company, in Alexandra Buildings, THIS DAY (SATUR-DAY), 25th day of May, 1907, at Noon, for the DAY), 25th inst., at 12.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1906.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 22nd inst, to Tuesday, the 28th inst., both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of

Shares will be Registered. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON. General Managers,

Hongkong, 25th May, 1907. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION:

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 31st day of May, 1907, at Noon for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit; of passing the following Resolutions :-

they are hereby requested and authorised by the following Trade Wark : and on behalf of the Shareholders of the Company to take the steps necessary for the introduction of an Ordinance into the Legislative Coancil of the Colony of Hongkong and for the enactment of the same by the Governor of Hongkong with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof to effect the amendments necessary to the Ordinance under which the Company is incorporated and carrying on business so as to a ow of the capital of the Company being from time to time increased from ten millions of dollars the present authorised capital of the Company to twenty millions of dollars and also for extending the period of the operation of such Ordinance for a further period of 21 years from and including the 14th day of August, 1908, and for continuing all the provisions of Section 3 of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Ordinance 1899 for a further period of 21 years from and including the 14th day of

August 1908. 2. That from the date of such new Ordinance coming into operation and become ing effective the Capital of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be increased from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 by the creation of 40,000 New Shares of \$125 each to be issued at the price of £30 on the terms after mentioned. Shareholders on the Eastern Registers to pay for their allotments at the rate of Exchange for the Company's demand Bills on London on the day the

instalments are due. 3. That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for every two shares of which on the 31st day of May, 1907, Shareholders shall respectively be the Registeres of this and that any New Shares not accepted by the Shareholders within the time limited by the Directors for that purpose, be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manuer and at such price as in their discretion they. shall think best in the interests of the

Company. 4. That the payment of the sum of £30 be made as follows, viz :

July, 1907. 2nd and final instalment of £15 on the 1st MARKS, of the following TRADE MARK:day of October, 1907.

5. That the Directors issue to Shareholders holding shares not a multiple of two, a fractional cartificate in respect of each share in excess of or below the multiple and allot one New Share to every person who shall produce two such Fractional Certificates on or before the 1st day of July, 1907, and pay the first

instalment in respect thereof. 6. That after payment of the first instalment and pending payment of the remaining instalment, Scrip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be issued in respect of such New Shares entitling the holders on payment of the remaining instalment, and subject to such other terms as to approval, date for lodging scrip certificates and otherwise as the Directors may prescribe, sole proprietors thereof. to be registered as the owners of the Shares respectively represented by such Scrip Certi-

ficates. 7. That interest at the rate of 5 per centum per annum be allowed out of the profits of the Company on instalments paid in advance of registered holders of Scrip Certificates for undersigned, New Shares be entitled in respect of such | New Shares to participate in future dividends on an equality with the old shares, in proportion to the instalments paid up, and from

due dates for payment of same, 8. That interest at the rate of 8 per centum | 826 per annum be charged on each instalment not punctually paid, and be paid with each such

nstalment. 9. That all moneys received from premium. on the said New Shares be added to the Reserve Funds.

For THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COSPORATION, J. R. M. SMITH. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 30th April, 1907. THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

LOST.

FETWO CERTIFICATES of 50 Shares each standing in the Register of this Company in the name of Fung Ming Shan have been LOST.

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TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Duplicate Certificates for the said 100 Shares will be issued one month hence, and that the Original Certificates, unless produced within that period, will thereafter be held by the Company as null and void. SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 1st May, 1907. KWONG TAI LOY.

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THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that LI SHAP YAP of No. 7, Loo Yuen Street. West, Victoria, Hongkong, carrying on business under the style of LI WONG KEE, has on the 29th January, 1907, applied for the Registration in Hongkong in the REGISTER OF TRADE MARKS of the following TRADE MARK :---

in the name of Li Shap Yar who claims to the sole proprietor thereof The TRADE MARK has been used by the. Applicant in respect of the following goods:

VARNISH IN CLASS 50. A Facsimile of such THADE MARK can be seen at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong. Dated the 22nd day of March, 1907.

F. X. D'ALMADA & CASTRO, Solicitor for the Applicant. THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE.

APPLICATION FOR ERGISTRATION OF

TRADE MARK, TATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that JAMES BUCHANANA COMPANY. LIMITED, of London, England, Glasgow Mulban, and Speyside, Scotland, have on the 20th day of

1. That the Directors of the Hongkong February, 1997 applied for the Registration in and Shangbai Banking Corporation be and Hongkong in the Register of Trade Marks of

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the name of James Buchanan and Com-PANY, LIMITED, of London, England, Glasgow, Mulhen and Speyside, Scotland who claim to be the sole proprietors thereof. The Trade Mark has been used by the app'i

cants since 1888 in respect of Whisky in Class A facsimile of the Trade Mark can be seen at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong and also at the Offices of the undersigned Dated this 25th day of April, 4907.

BRUTTON & HETT, Nos 39, 41 and 43, Des Voeux Road, Victoria Houghoug. On behalf of the applicants JAMES BUCHANAN & CO., LIMITED.

THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE, APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF

TRADE MARK. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that down the shoulder of the Elephant. Upon its per Share for each of the said New Shares | HOLBROOKS, LIMITED of body are configured seven lines with a tail. Birmingham, England, have on the 1st day lat instalment of £15 on the lat day of of March, 1907, applied for the Registration in Hongkong in the REGISTER OF PRADE



ST GEORGE the name of Holdgoogs, Limited of Birmingham, England, who claim to be the The TRADE MARK has been used by the

applicants since 1877 in respect of SAUCES, PICKLES AND VINEGAR IN CLASS 42. A Fassimile of the TRADE MARK can be Hongkong. seen at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of the dates when the same become due, and that Hongkong and also at the Offices of the

> Dated the 25th day of April, 1907, BRUTTON & HETT. Nos. 39, 41 & 43, Des Voer Road, Victoria, Hongkoug. On behalf of the Applicants HOLBROOKS, LIMITED

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Bank Manager, deceased.

PROBATE JURISDICTION. In the Goods of JOHN WALTER, late of Lynwood, Silverhill Street, St. Leonards

on Sea, in the County of Sussex, England.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that His Honour the Chief Justice has by virtue of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897 made an Order limiting to the 8th day of June, 1907, the time for Creditors to sand in their claims against the estate of the above deceased who died on the 2 th day of January, 1907, at Lynwood, Silverhill Street, St. Leonards on Sea aforesaid, and Probate of whose Will and Codicils has been resealed in the Supreme Court of Hougkong in its Probate Jurisdiction on the 7th day of May, 1907, by JOHN CHARLES PETER, Sub-manager, of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

Corporation at Hongkong, Acting for and on behalf of EMILY ELIZABETH WALTER, Widow the Relief, WILLIAM WALTER, the brother, and ALFRED GEORGE LUCAS, the Executor of the said Deceased. NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that all such

signed prior to the said 8th day of June, 1907, or no notice will be taken of them. All persons indebted to the above estate are requested to make immediate payment to the

claims are to be sent in in writing to the under-

Dated the 16th day of May, 1907. JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, Solicitors for the said Executors, 8. Des Voeux Road Central. Hongkong.

INTIMATIONS

IN THE MATTER of the TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE 1898. AND IN THE MATTER of the application of HUI WING KWONG for leave to Register a TRADE MARK therounder.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that HUI WING KWONG carrying on business as a Button Manufacturer under the style or firm of HUI NG HANG, at No. 44, Shoung Kau Po Street, Canton, in the Empire of China has on the 5th day of October, 1006, applied for the Registration in Hongkong in the Register of Trade Marks of the following Trade Mark :

The device of an Animal representing an ELEPHANT with its trunk extending downward with the end thereof curled upward showing three legs standing on a line and part of a fourth log in a slauting position. A tusk is shown protending beyond the said trunk. In the head of the Elephant is shown one eye and one car is hanging from the top of the head down the shoulder of the Elephant. Upon its body are configured seven lines with a tail, The Elephant is encircled by a line of oval shape and another fancy line or border of similar shape equidistant throughout its extent defines the outer extent of the device. Between the said two lines appearing along the top of the said device are five Chinese characters the true translation whereof is HUT NG HANG OLD Firm. In the centre right hand side between the said two lines is a Chinese character representing "Kwong" and on the corresponding left hand side is a Chinese character representing "Tung." The two Kwong Tung refer to and are the Chinese sounds representing the province of which Cauton is the Capital, Running along the bottom between the said two lines from left to right are the English characters "Hur No Hano" and the applicant disclaims the right to the exclusive use of the Chinese characters except in so far as they. consist of his name.

The Trade Murk has been used by the applicant in respect of the following Goods in Class 50 (8) BUTTONS of all kinds other than of Procious Metals and imitations thereof since May,

A facsimile of the said Trade Mark can be

seen at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong. . Dated the 25th day of April, 1907. OSWALD D. THOMSON, Solicitor for the Applicant,

15, Queen's Road Central,

Hongkong.

IN THE MATTER of the TRADE Marks Ordinance 1898. AND IN THE MATTER of the application of HUI WING KWONG for leave to register a TRADE MARK

thereunder. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that LY HUI WING KWONG carrying on business as a Button Manufacturer under the style or firm of HUI NG HANG, at No. 44, Sheung Kau Po Street, Canton, in the Empire of Chins, hes, on the 28th day of March, 1997. applied for the Registration in Hongkong in the Register of Trade Marks of the following Trade Mark :--

The device of an Animal representing un ELEPHANT with its trunk extending downward with the end thereof curled upward showing three legs standing on a line and part is shown protending beyond the said trunk. In the head of the Elephant is shown one eye, an one ear is banging from the top of the head The Elephant is encircled by a line of oval shape and another fancy line or border of similar shape equidistant throughout its extent defines the outer extent of the device. Between the said two lines appearing along the top of the said device are five Chinese characters the true translation whereof is Hui No HANG OLD FIRM. In the centre right hand side between the said two lines is a Chinese character representing "Kwong" and on the corresponding left hand side is a Chinese character representing "Tong" The two Kwong Tung refer to and are the Chinese sounds representing the province of which Canton is the Capital. Running along the bottom between the said two lines from left to right are the English characters "Hur Na HANG" and the applicant disclaims the right to the exclusive use of the Chinese characters

except in so far as they consist of his mame. The Trade Mark has been used by the applicant in respect of the fell swing goods in Class 14 .- Buttons made of Precions Metals and imitations thereof since May, 1905. A Facsimile of the said TRADE MARK can be seen at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of

Dated the 25th day of April, 1907, OSWALD D. THOMSON, Solicitors for the Applicant, 15, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

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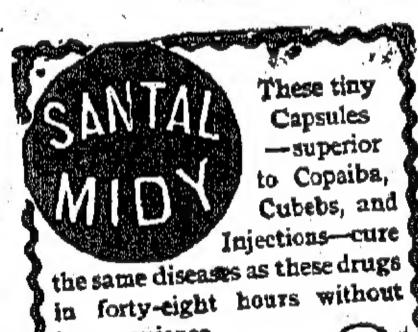
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Hou. Mr. A. W. Brewin, Chairman of the Supervisory Committee, reports that the first torm of the Evening Continuation Classes commenced on the 3rd October, 1906. objects of the classes were described in syllabus as to afford facilities for a commercial and scientific training to students generally, and to enable those who have left school to continus their studies. They are under the direction of a small Supervisor v Committee, and consisted at the close of the first term, of nineteen classes under three sections: Commerce, Engineering and Science. The teaching Staff numbers fourteen. The number of students on the class registers on the 1st November, 1906, and 31st January, 1907, respectively was:

1st Novem-31st Janua. ber, 1903. ry, 1907. Commerce section ...

Engineering section Science section ...... justified their existence and that there is no 'l'o morrow being " Victoria day and a public reason to doubt their permanence if their holiday, our circular is issued a day earlier development keeps pace with the needs of the than usual. During the interval since our lat Colony. Not only the classes which may seem our market has continued to rule extremely to the students to offer some immediate return dull, and there is again but little of interest to for their time and money such as the Short- report. Rates continue without improvement, hand, Building Construction and Machine and on the whole still incline toward weakness, Dr wing classes - have been regularly strended. BANKS - Hongkong and Shanghais have but the attendance at other classes which do boan broked in small lote at \$110, 3905 and not come under this category, have also been 3000 and close with sellers at the latter rate. well maintained, and students who know by London, after falling to £93.10., has hardened experience the time taken to acquire English somewhat, and closes steady at £100. Nationals are found commencing the study of French, are unchanged and without business. German and Japanese, whilst most satis. MARINE INSURANCES. Yangtez-s are still factory of all there is an average attendance of 31 in the English classes, other stocks under this heading, and we have The classes started under considerable disadvan-It was impossible to say whether they amotioned. The Chemistry and Physics were in the subjects taught. All classes alike suffered 29, 10s. 0d. for the Ordinary and Preference also from a lack of suitable text books, and the shares respectively. maintenance of the attendance in the face of all needed, of the necessity for classes of this \$120. Luzons are still on offer at \$21. the Attendance Beturns are not a very good and more shares are procurable. Charbonnages index to the actual attendance at each class. In can be placed at \$450. some cases the number on the roll decressed

The subjects taught in the Commerce Section buyers. New Amoy Docks are still in request are :- Shorthaud, Book-keeping, Commercial at 811a. who were incapable of following a course in rate in ire shares are obtainable. Humphreys' Advanced English, whilst on the other hand Estates are unchanged with sellers at \$10.90. there is reason to believe that a certain number ('OTTON MILLS, - Quotations are without of young men have been deterred from joining change, and we have no business to report in from fear of the high standard that would be this section. required on admission. The number of students nese scholars what a good business investment have sold and are offering at \$12. every additional year spent on the study of English is, but it is satisfactory to see that this is beginning to be recognised by Chin-as parents who have themselves received their education in Hongkoug. Teachers of other classes complain of the difficulty some of their pupils experience in following the lesson owing to their ignorance of English, and it may be advisable to insi-t on backward pupils attending an English class if their ignorance of English

impedes the work of their class. The average attendance at the French class was 28, at the German 11, and at the Japanese 9. The popularity of the French class is not explicable at first. It does not seem probable that the relative even though the enrolment did not reach fivethe minimum prescribed in the syllabus -has been justified in this case, as the term closes with an enrolment of eleven. In all three classes the students have the advantage of native teachers. Shorthand cannot fail to be a popular class. Proficiency in the subject has an immediate money value. The attendance has been well kept up-the average attendance being 23, and at the close of the term an examination was held at which there were ten condidates for Pitman's Elementary Certificate and seven for the Theory Certificate. It is gratifying to find seven students already capable of taking an advance, course in Book-keeping. It remains to be seen whether the 11 students on the roll of the elementary class will persavere in their studies long enough to suter the advanced class. The Commercial Arithmetic Class is small

in number but keen. It will never, I think, be a very popular class. The Engineering Section consists of five classes in Geometry, Applied Mechanics. Practical Mathematics, Building Construction and Machine Drawing. The two last classes were started on 17th December. There is no doubt that the need for these classes has been urgent and that all expenditure on them will prove the greatest benefit to the Colony. Of the 90 students on the roll on the 30th November, 55 per cent. were employed in engineering works or with building contractors. and the other students all hope to put their knowledge to some practical use. The teacher of the Building Construction Class speaks in the highest terms of the aptitude of some of his pupils. The advanced class in Practical Mathematics was closed in January. The attendance gradually fell off as the students perceived no immediate advantage to be gained from the course. The Science Section consists of three classes in Chemistry, Physics and Hygiene. The class in hygiene is small, and with hygiene now being taught, regularly in school it is questionable whether it will be permanent. The class is principally attended by school-teachers, and the hygiene taught is school bygiene. It is to be hoped that school managers are aware of the benefits teachers

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I have little doubt about the future of the Chemistry and Physics classes in which the average attendance was 10 and 15 respectively. The two subjects form part of the New Learning, and apart from their prospective usefulness are attractive to all young Chinese who have studied English. But the majority of the students hope to put their knowledge to some practical use. Mr. Ralpha and Mr. Crook are to be congratulated on the state of the laboratory. It presents a very different aspect to wint it did when the classes started. At very little cost but with the expenditure of a great deal of time and trouble everything which could possibly be utilised has been repaired and put in a serviceable condition. It is not premature to regard these classes as having now p seed beyond the experimental stage; and to scours the progress already made and to prepare for futu e development, it will now be necessary to determine the organization under which they can best be permanently conducted.

#### JOINT STOCK SHARES.

Messrs. Vernon & Smyth say in their weekly If may be at once said that the classes have share report dated Hongkong 23rd May, 19 17: -

in request at \$158, but there is no enquiry for

heard of no business. FIRE INSURANCES. - Hongkongs continue would prove a success or not, and no on offer at \$330, but Chinas, after small sales preliminary expenditure on apparatus was at \$80, are in some further request at the rate. SHIPPING - Hongkong, Canton and Macson therefore put at the beginning, under serious have been booked at \$30 at which rate the mardisabilities, and the teachers deserve great credit | ket closes steady. Indes, Star Ferries and for having done what they have done with the Chin and Maniles are unchanged and procurodds and ends of apparatus which could be able at quotations. Douglasse have been fixed placed at their disposal, and for having at \$351 and more shares are wanted. Shell maintained so well the interest of their students Transports are firm with buyers at 48/- and

REFINERIES. - China Sugars are somewhat discouragement is further evidence, if any were easier with sellers at \$119 after small sales at nature. The percentage and average given in Mining. Ranks have been booked at \$61

DOCKS, WHARVES AND GODOWNS .- Hong. between the lat November and the 30th kong and Whampon Docks have remained fairly January, and in others the number setually steady during the interval, but shares are increased, and allowance must be made for this. still obtainable to some extent at \$109. Hong-During the first month there was the usual kong and Kowloon Wharves are easier with shifting of students from one class to another sellers at \$83. Shanghai Docks are quoted and a revision of the time-table in December Tis. 76, and Shanghai and Hongkow Wharves gave rise to a certain number of changes. The 221, the latter with local and Shanghai

Arithmetic. English, French, German and LANDS, HOTELS AND BUILDINGS.-Hong-Japanese. The largest attendance is in the kong Lands are unaltered with probable sellers English classes. The attendance at these classes at \$107. Kowloon Lands have theen fixed at has suffered somewhat from two causes. It has \$37, and West Points at \$48. Hongkong failen off through the disappearance of students | Rotels have again been booked at \$118 at which

MISCELLANEOUS. - Geo. Ferwicks have do though smaller then was hoped by me would be clined to \$171, and Green Island Coments to the case, is good, considering that these are 318, both with seliers. Electrics have been done advanced classes, and that the senior class at \$15 and are still offering. Ices have been consists of students who have already done very booked at \$245, and Union Waterbasts at \$124. well at school. It is still hard to persuade Chi- the latter closing in request at \$127. Watsons

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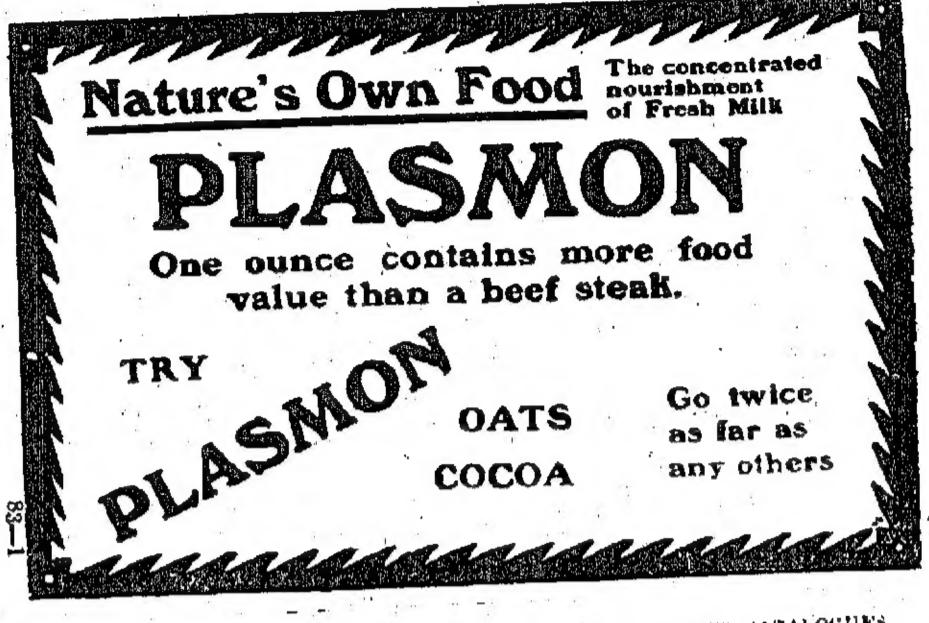


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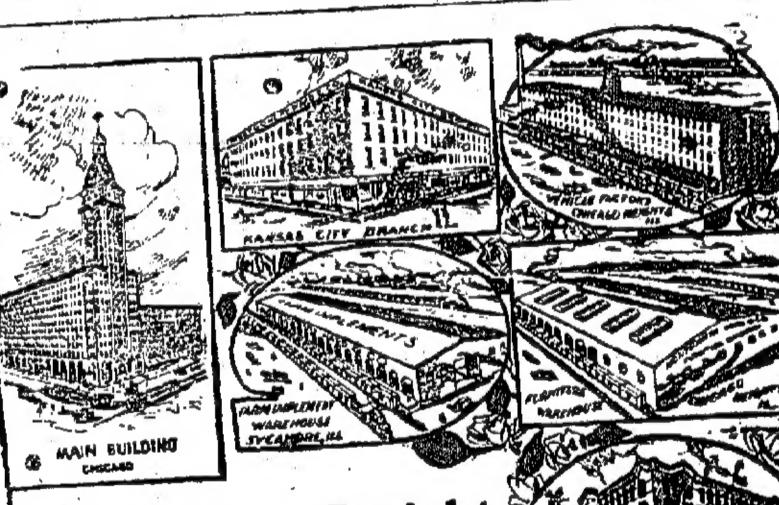
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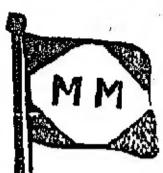
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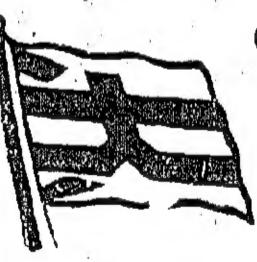
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M4 Ngau Tau-Bullock's Head ... 80 Heart ... lb. 12

salt ...... Man Kok-Bullock's Feet ... each 7 Ngau Iu-Bullock's Kidney ... , 10 B4 Ngau Moi-Bullock's Tail ..... нф Ngau Kon-Bullock's Liver ... lb. 12

May-Saigon 10th May, Rice, Jardine, BUG Ngau Tsai T'au Kök-Calves. 骨牌学 Yong Pai Kwat-Mutton Chop 1b. 24 23rd May-Weibaiwei 17th May, General Be Youg Pe-Log of Mutton ..... 21 事章 Yong Shau-Mutton Shoulder " Ma Yong Tau-Sheeps' Head por set 60 Pybus, 7th May-Vancouver B.C. 18th Your Sam-Sheeps Heart ... 1b. 6 Yong Iu-Sheeps Kidneys ... " H Yong Kon-Sheeps' Liver ... 1h. 24 ERROLL, British str., 3,886, W. I. Lockhart, Chu Kok-Pigs' Feet ..... 16th May -- Yokohama 7th May, General --Cha No-Pig Brains ........ per set 始播 Chü Tsàp—Pigs' Fry ...... lb 12 FOOKSANG, British str., 1,987, T. D. Mitchell, 面接 Chu T'au-Pig's Heads..... 22nd May-Samarang via Java 13th May Cha Iu-Pigs Kidney .......pair 10 香种福 Chu P'ai Kwat-Pork Chop ... ,, 21 FORMOSA, British str., 2,615, B. M. H. Snow, Cha Sam—Pig's Heart ..... each 9
Cha Kon—Pig's Liver ..... 10. 29 21st May-Yokohama 7th May General .-- ) 存稿 Chu Tsai-Sucking Pigs (ti) HAICHING, British str., 1.267, A. E. Hodgins,

14 Ngau Tsui-Veal .... POULTRY.

越班 Pan Kau-Doves ...... sach 15 \ Ap-Ducks..... 1b. 18 Kai Tan-Hen's Eggs ...... doz. 20 BEE Shong Hoi Ya Ngoa-tineso, Wild ,, -Shanghai ..... pair -

Pak Kop—Pigeons | Canton each 30 the Cha Ku-Partridge ..... each -So Ts'oi-Snipe..... each -

Wong San-Eels, Yellow .... 28 BH T'i'n Kai-Frogs ...... 34 在 Shak Pan-Garoupa ...... , 48

Halibut ..... 24 魚花黄 Wong Fà Yu-Labrus ....... "17 Lung Ha -Lobsters ....... , 25 Shi Yu -Mackerol ..... Loach...... 22 Chai Yü-Mullot ...... 18 Mong Yil-Monk Fish ..... 1b. 24

Tau Lo-Perch ..... Pak Ch'ong-Pomfret, White .. 26 Ming Ha- Prawns ..... 沙宫屋 Pi Pa Sa—Ray.....

Sa Yu-Shark ..... 成友医 Ma Yau Yu-Salmon, Canton , 16 A Shang Yu-Salmon, Fresh Water, 32 Ha-Shrimps ...... , 21 Po Yu-Skate ..... 10 

A Sa Ya-Soles..... 22 All Kök Yu-Turtles, small, fresh-A 路白 Pak Bit Ya-White Bait ...... "

THE Kam Shan Ping Ko-Apples, California ..... 至平津天 Tin T'sun Pin Ko-Apples, C'foo ,, 25 Hoi Tong-Apples, small, Chefoo., 35 Fan Chi-Apples, Custard,

Macoa .....each -Yat Pun Ping Ko-Apples, Japanese ..... ib. — 香香城市 Shang Sheg Heung Tsiu-Bananas, fragrant, Canton 想香山 Shang Houng Tsiu—Bananas brides, Macao ..... Young T'6-Carambola ......

MR. Fung Nut-Chestnuts, Chinese .. 子题 Ye Tsz -- Cocoanuts ......oach 10 子提新 P'6 Tai Tsz-Grapes... 1st ql. lb. -Ning Mong-Lemons, Chinese ... Kam Shang Lingmon-Lemon, ql. American .... each 8 模型 Las Chi-Lichees, Fresh......1st ql. 10

.....2nd ,. — 配枝素 Lai Chi Kon-Lichees, Dried 1b. .— 是南安 On Nan Mong—Mango, Saigen " 子析山 Shan Chuk Taz-Mangosteens, ... 23 per 100 ......lst The Yong Sai Kwii-Water Melon,

American..... per lb. -RM Sai Kwa-Water Melous China lb. -配香 Hong Kwa — Musk Melon American.....each Passion Fruit, American... per doz -子竹山 Mangoesteen ...... Papaw 1st..... 1b 20

電台 Pak Lam-Olives ...... Ch'ang-Oranges, Am., Sweet ,, 16 Chiu Chau Ch'ang-Oranges Chu Sa Kat— Small ,, Mandarin " -精甜 Tim Kat-

E S'hai Sut Li-Pears, American Sin Tsi-Pears, Cooking, Canton lb -Sa La-Pears, Shanghar......... Hung Tsi-Persiminous large Hurg Li-Plums, Swatow ...... "

微地本 Pun Ti Po lo Pinsapple ...... Pineapple Coong only ... 2nd At Tai Tom Plantains ..... Luk Yau-Pumelo, Amoy ... sach ChimLoLukYau-Pamelo, Siam ., 20

San Hop To-Walnute, Fresh lb. 12 Hop To-Walnuts, Green ..... VEGETABLES, &C.

The York Bhanghai Ya Chi Chuk-Artichokso, Shanghai ...... Anna Loong Soo Ts'oi-Asparagus..dos. --## Chuk Sun-Bamboo Shoots ... lb. -基準 Ngd Tadi-Beans, Sprout ...... ;, 角性 Tau Kok- , Long ..... Min Tau- , Broad ...... Pin Tau- , "French, S'hai ,, 型色門裏 O Moon Bin Tau-Boans Amar Hung Tau Ts'o i-Beotroot ... each Z

Kau Sun-Cane Sho .....bundle 3 Ta'ing Ke-Brinjals, Gareen ... lb. 5 Yuen Ke- " Red ....... Pak Troi-Brassica ......... Chuk Shun-liamboo Shoots 本作 Kai Ts'oi - Cabbage, Chinese ... 本并海上 S'hai Kai Ts'oi - ,, Shanghai sassa 8 Kam Sun-Carrots ...... lb. 在基础 Ye Ta'ol Fa-Cauliflower..... each -花菜區大 Ta Ye Tsoi Fa-, Large Size .. -花菜园中 Chung Ye Ts'oi Fa—Cauliflower, Mod. Size

Tran Ta'oi-Celery, China ..... 10, 5 菜户净 Young Can Is'oi-Colory, Eng. .. 直套 Fu Kwu—Bitter Squash ....... 取离析 Tsing Lat Tsia -Chilles, Green , 5) BEST Hung Fa Tsiu-Chilles, Rod ... . 5.3 成會 Tsing Kwa-Cucambers ..... . 4 Find Ka Li Ts'oi Liu - Jurry Stuff,

English MI Ch'ung Tau -Garlio ...... Taz Keung-Ginger, young ... .. The Teling Tau-Groon Peas ....... 力相 Kan Lik—Horse Radish, Shai \* Suk Mai - Swoot Corn ...... piec . L 走港 Young Shang Te'oi-Lettaco... .. 1 Mush Molon.....

蓝草生 Shang Tso Ku-Mushrooms, fresh..... 備名 Mo Ke-Ochra ..... MAR Young To'ung Tau - Daions, il'bay, 5 概生 Shang Ta'ung - Daions, Green. ... 4 國際本日 Yat Pun Ts'ung Pau -Quione,

Japaulide ...... 頭盤 E Shanghai Ta'ung Tau - Jaions, ----Shanghai ...... 而毛 Mo ka—Okroes ..... 東西洋 Young Yuon Si -Paraloy, Eng. bundle ...... per lb HERE Foochow Shu Tsai -Potstoes, Foochow .....lb, 任整治上 Shanghai Shu Tsai-Potates.

Shanghai ..... that 日本日 Yat Pun Shu Tani-Potatons. Japanese ...... 任命門後 O Mun Shu Tasi-Potutous, 仔密雄化 Fa Ke Shu Tsai-Potatoes, American ...... 源香 Fan Shu -- Potstoss, Sweet ....

配本 Tung Kwa-Pampkia...... 秦仔港 Chu Tsui Ts'oi-Purstine ..... ,, FRAT Hung Lo Pak Tsai - Marlish ... .. 🗸 🔀 Ye Ts'oi —Canbaga Root ......aach ----EE 放於 Kon Ts'ung Tan - Shalota ..... lb. 8 Yin Ts'oi -Splaach 面露 Lo Pak-Spinach Chinese ..... 超强 Lin Ngau—Lily Root........... 在 Young Lo Pak—Turnips, Eng. ,, Rat Rwa - Vegetable Marrow, 

Mit Thi - Water Chestnuts, Common ...... 题爲林抽 Kwei Lam Ma. Text-Water .. Chostnuts, Mandaria A Man Sai Yueng Latoi -- Water Cresses .. 10 Tai Shu Yams..... C. W. BRETT

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Alacrity, despatch-boat, 1,700 tous, 10 gans, 3,000 h.p., Comir. E. L. T. Leatham. Hongkong Astraea, 2nd class traiser, 4,360 tous, 10 game.

IN THE CHINA SQUADRON.

7,000 i.h.p., Captain C. L. Vanghan-Laa. Bedford, British cruiser, - 19th April-Bramble, gunboat, 710 tons, 900 h.p., Lieat E. C. W. Davison, Shanghai Britomart, gunboat, 710 toos, 890 h.p., Lieut.

W. L. Bamber, Yangteze Cadmus, British sloop, 1,070 tous, Comir. B. L. Majendie, Shanghai Clio, British sloop, 1,070 tons, Comdr. C. D. S. Raikes, Hongkoog Diadem, 1st class craiser, 11,000 tons, 16 gazs.

16,509 h.p., Capt. E up wille, Hangkong Fame, torpedo-boat destroyer, 360 tons, 6 guns: 5,700 h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. Gresson, Hongkong Flora, 2nd class craiser, 4,360 tons, 10 guns, 7,000 i.h.p., Capt. Grant Dalton, Hongkong Handy, torpedo-boat destroyer, 260 tons, 6 gaas,

4.000 h.p., Lieut, Comdr. Cox, Hongkong Hart, torpedo-boat destroyer. 260 tons, 6 gans, 4000 h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. P Henniker Heaten, Hongkong Janu, torpodo-boat destroyer, 230 tons, 6 g rus, 3,900 h.p., Lt. Comdr. Darwall, en ronta

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P. Crabtres, Shanghai Monmouth, cruiser, 9,800 tous, Capt. J. A. Tuke, Manila Moorhan, river gunboat, 180 tons, 2 guns, Lieut.-Comdr. Vaughan, West River

Nightingale, river gunboat, 85 tous, 249 h.p., Lient.-Comir. R. S. Roy, R.N., Shanghai Otter, torpede-boat destroyer, 350 tone, 6 guns, 6300 i.h.p., Lt.-Comdr. Kiddle, en route Hongkong Robin, river gunboat, 85 tons, 2 gans, 246

h.p., Lieut. Comdr. Walcott, West River Sandpiper, river gunboat, 85 tons, 2 guns, 210 h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. H. T. Atlay, West River Snipe, river gun-boat, 85 tons, 2 guns, 240 h.p. Lieut.-Comdr. T. J. S. Lynn. Yangtsza Taku, torpedo boat destroyer, Hargkong

Tamar, receiving ship, 4,600 tons, 6 gans, Commodore H. P. Williams, at Hongkong Teal, river gunboat, 180 tons, 2 guns. Lieut. Comir. Secretan, on Yangters

Thistle, gunboat, 710 tons, 90) h.p., Lieut. Comdr. West, Yangtsze Virago, torpalament distroyer, 360 tons, 6 guas, 6,300 i.h.p., Lieut. Com lr. Stevenson,

Hongkong Waterwitch, sucveying ship, 620 tons 450 i.h.p. Comdr. A. W. Glennie, Long Harbour Whiting, torpale-boat destroyer, 330 tons, 6 guns, 5,900 h.p., Lieut, Comir. C. E. L.

Thomas, Hongkong Widgeon, ganboat, 195 tons, 2 gans, 800 h.p., Lt-Comdr. G. B. Spicer-Simson, Yangtese

Hongkong, 23rd May, 1907.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. The Australian, with the French mail of the 26th April, left Saigon on Friday, the 24th instant, at noon, and may be expected here on or about Menday, the 27th inst. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 23rd March, Manila .... | Saturday, 25th, 11.00 A.m. Macoo .... Sui Tai ..... Saturday, Singapore, Penang and Calcutta ...... Hopsang ............ Saturday, Manila .... Saturday 25th. Shanghai and Chinking ..... Saturday, 25th. Haiphong ..... Signal ..... Signal Caturday. 25th, 5.(0 P.M. Swatow Amoy and Lamsui...... Masan Maru Saturday, Shangbai ..... Taisang 25th, 5.00 P.M. Monday. 3.00 P.M Swatow and changbai ...... Kiukiung ...... Kiukiung ..... Monday, 27th, 3.00 P.M. colung, changlai, Moji, Kobe, Yokohama, ? Shinano Maru .... Monday, Victoria, B.C. and Seattle Wash. 27th, 5.00 P.M. Hoihow and Haiphong ...... Singan ...... Singan ..... Tuesday, 28th, 9.00 A.M Tuesday, 28th. Printed Matter and Sam-Evenpe, &c., India via Tuticoria .......... ples..... 10.00 A.M Registration... 10.00 A.M. (Into Letters H. 00) to H.30 A.M. Extra (Registration, with lat Pastago 10 conts.)..... Tourane ..... fee of 10 cents, up to tletters posted in all the Pillar' Boxes 10.45 A.M.) in time for the first clearance will be Registration, Kowles B.O. ......10.00 A.M No late fee. Leiters ...... 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 28th, 2.00 P.M. Tues in . 28th, 3.00 P.M. Manila ..... Tean .... Tuesday, 28th. 3.00 P.W. Amoy, Ningpo and Shanghai ..... Yunnan Tueslay, 28th. 3.00 P. W. Tientein ..... Chipshing Tuesday. 28th. 3.00 P.M. Durban .... Helcopolis ..... Wednesday, 29th, 4.00 P.M. Sandakan ..... Mausang Thursday, 30th, 3.00 P.M. Swatow and Shanghai ...... Shachsing Saturday, 31st, 3.00 r.m. Batavia, Cheribon, Samarang, Sterabaya Tibodas; ...... Friday, Printed Matter and Samples ...... 4.(10) P.M. Registration ... 400 P.M STANGRAL, NEGATARI, KORE, YOROGAMA, & Koren ..... Registration, with lat fee of 10 cents, up to HI MOLULU and SAN FRANCISCO ....... 4.45 P.M.) Regustration. Kowloor \*\*\*\*\*\* 4 00 P.M. No late fee. Letters ...... 5.00 P.M. -: JUNE .-Manila ..... Rubi ..... lst, 10.00 a.m. Saturday. Timor, Port Berwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, ( . Eastern ..... Saturday, . 1st, 10.00 A.M. Hohart, Limnouston, New Zealand, Melbourne, Adelaide Porth and Fremantle ... ) EUROPa, &c., Ludia via Tuticoria...... Saturday, 1st, (Late 1 afters 11.00 to 11.30 a.m. Extra ! Printed Matter and Sam Postage 10 cents) ples ...... 10.00 A.M. (Supplementary mail on board up to the Registration ... 10.00 A.M nime fixed for departure of the mail. (Registration, with lat Extra Postage 10 cents.)..... fee of 10 cents, up Latters posted in all the Pillar Bospe 19.45 A.M.) THE LINE for the first clearance will Registration, Kowlood be included in this contract mail.) B.O. ..... 10,00 A.M The Parcel mail will be closed at 5 p.m. No late fee. on Friday, 31st May ..... Letters 11.00 A.M. Kaifong ..... Cobu and Lioilo .. Saturday. lst. 3.00 P.M. Holhow and Haiphong ..... Chikli Saturday. lst. 5 (10 p.p. Shanghai ..... Changchow ...... Monday, 3rd, 3.00 P.M. Shangnai ..... Yochow ..... Tuesday, 4th, 3.00 P.M. Wednesday 5th. Printed Matter and Samples ..... 10.00 A. EUROPE, &C., INDIA VIA TUTICORIN ...... Registration... 10.00 A.M (Late Letiers 11.00 to 11.30 a.m. Extra Postage 10 cents.) (Registration, with late Gneisenau..... fee of 10 cents, up to (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes 10.45 A.M.) in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail.) Registration, Kowloon No late fee Letters ...... 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 6th, Printed Matter and Samples ...... 2.00 P.M. SHANGE Z. NAGAHARI, KOBB, YOKOHAMA, ] Registration ... 2.00 P.M. VICTORIA and VANCOUVER (B.C.)..... (Registration, with late Supplementary mail on board up to the | Empress of Japan fee of 10 cents up to time fixed for departure of the mail. 2.45 P.M.) Extra Postage 10 cents). Registration, Kowloon  $B_iO_i$  ..... 2.00  $P_iM_i$ No late fee. Letters ..... 3,00 P.M Chefoo and Newchwang ...... Kweiyang ...... Kweiyang ..... 7th, 3.00 P.M. Manile, Zambeanga, Port Darwin, Thursday Keland, Cooktown, Cairns, Townsville Brisbane, Sydney, Hobart, Launoeston, Friday, 7th 3.00 P.M. New Zealand, Melbourne, Adelaide, and Porth. Fremantle...... Moji, Kebe, Yokohama, Victoria, B.C. and } Tremont ...... Saturday, Tacoma. Wash Tuesday, 11th, Printed Matter and Sam ples ...... 10.00 A.M SHARGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOSE, YOROHAMA, Registration ... 10.00 A.M HONOLULU and SAN FRANCISCO ....... (Registration, with lat (Supplementary mail on board up to the America Maru... fee of 10 cents, up to time fixed for departure of the mail. 10,45 A.M.) Registration, Kowlood B.O. ..... 10.07 A.M. No late fee. Letters ....... 11,00 A.M. Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, Tartur ...... Wednesday, 19th, 11.00 A.M.

Mails for "CANTON, "WUCHOW and "SAMSHUI will be closed on week-days at 7.30 a.m. aud at 6 p.m. until further notice. A Mail for Macao is despatched per s.s. Sui An on week-days at 7.15 s.m. On Sundays the mail for Macao is closed at 8 a.m.

Mails for Konomoun and Kumonuk, are closed every weekday at 6 p.m. On Sundays the mails are closed at 9 a.m.

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L.F Money Letters.-The Post Office declines all responsibility for unregistered Letters containing bank notes or jewellery, and where Registration has been neglected WILL MAKE NO Enquining into alleged ingree of such letters (Postal Guide 121)

Local Deliveries :- Separate Loxes have been provided for posting Correspondence for the Town, Kowleon, and the Peak. The Hoxes are under the Window at the East end of the Verandah its Que in's Road

#### GILBERT'S ROYAL LIQUEUR. FIRST QUARTERLY REPORT.

JOHN CLARK, PH. D.F.C.S., F.I.C.,

Public Analyst for the City of Glasgow and the Counties of Lanark and Renfrew, &c. Reports:-

66 I have made a minute and careful chemical analysis of a fair sample of several hundred casks of Gilbert's Diamond Brand Royal Liqueur Blend of Scotch Whisky, taken by myself from the bonded stores in which the casks are lying, and the results of my analysis indicate that it is pure whisky, which has been matured for a considerable period in Sherry Casks, and from its mild and agreeable flavour, I am of opinion that it is a very fine blend of Scotch Whisky."

> SAMPLIES ON APPLICATION. PER CASE

RUTTONJEE & SON.

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

Hongkong, 17th May, 1907.

TO-DAY. Ordinary Annual General Meeting, Peak Tramways Co., Lid., noon. Twenty-Second Annual Ordinary General Meeting, A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., 12,30 p.m. Promenade Concert, Hongkong Volunteer

COMMERCIAL.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

ON LUNDON. Telegraphic Transfer Steensteen 2/2 Bank Bills, on demand Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight .....2/21 Bank Bills, at 4 months night ... 2/23 Documentary Bills 4months eight2/24 N PARIS .-OR GREMANT. On demand ......222 OR NEW YORK. ON BOMBAY. 

OR CALOUTTA,-OH RHANGHAL .-OF YOROHAMA. -On demand ...... 108 ON MANUA. -On demand - Perov \_\_ 106 ! On Singapons, On demand ...... 8 p.c.pm. OR BAIPHONG .- On demand ........... 42 p.c. pm.

ON FAIGOR.—On demand ............ p.c. pm. Sovenerons, Bank's Buying Rate ... 89.15 GCLD LEAP, 100 fine, per tael ..... \$48.30 CHEFFINE \_\_\_\_

May-2401 Quotations are;--Maiwa New ... per picul, Malwa Old ... Malwa Older T# 1 140 Malwa V. Old ... Persian fine quality ... Persian extra fine.. ... Patna New ... per chest. Retza OH Benares New Bonares Old ...

STEAMERS PASSED THE CANAL. April 19th-Achilles, Oceanien, Kanagawa Maru, 23rd Braemar, Monmouthshire, Teucer. Heintsich. 26th-C. Ferd. Laciez, Ernest Montgomeryshire, Socotra, Aberlour, Hyson 30th - Pcharnhorst. 5th - Banca, Benavon, China Wo. Lowther Castle, Palma, Wakasa Maru. 6th - Peshauner. 7th - Australien. Christiania, Indrapura. 12th-Nile, Syria, Interies, Ningchow. 14th-Benarty, Chikuzen Maru. 17th-Iyo Maru, Polyphemus, Hakata Maru, P. R. Luitpold. 21st May-Glenroy. Carnarconshire, Memnon, Pathan, Dormince.

ARRIVALS AT HOME. May 22nd- Colchas, Blovonia:

HONGKONG TIPE TARRE. From May 25th to Blst, 1907.

To correct Zone Time add 23 min. and 18 sec. HIGH WATER. LOW WATER. Hongkong Thurs: 30 m 0 49 7 8 MA 11 27

HONGKONG METEOBOLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hongkong Observatory, May 24th Previous Day. On Date at ' On Date at 4 pan. larometer ..... Humidity 50
Wind Direction S Weather .....

Highest open air Temperature on 23rd......85 Lowest open air Temperature on 23rd......77



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## JOINT STOOK SHARES.

Hongkong, May 23rd. COMPANY, PAID UP. QUOTATIONS. Alhambra Pa. 200 \$120. Banks-\$900, sellers Hongkong & S'hai... London 100. National B. of China \$61: Bell's Asbestos E. A. .. 12s. 6d. . 37. sellers China-Borneo Co..... \$12 | 191, sellers China Light & P. Co ... \$10 \\$61, sales China Provident \$10 \ \$0, sales & sel Cotton Mills-- Ewo..... fls. 50 | Tls. 62. Hongkong ...... \$10 : \$114, sellers : International ...... Tls. 75 Tls. 51. Laou Kung Mow ... Tis. 100 Tis. 75. Soyches .... Tls. 500 Tls. 370. Dairy Farm Docks and Wharves-H. & K. Wharf & U. \$50 | \$83, sullers H. & M. Deck ..... \$50 | \$109, sellers New Amoy Dock ... \$62 | \$114, buyers Shanghai Dock ..... Tls. 100 Th. 76. S'hat & H. Wharf ... The. 100 | Ths. 221. Penwick & Co., Geo.,. \$25 | \$174, Hellern Green Island Coment. \$10 | \$18, sellers Hongkong & C. Gas ... £10 \$175, buyers Hongkong Electric' ... \$10 \$15; sales & sel. Hongkong Hotel Ca... \$50 | \$118, sades & sol. Hongkong lee Co .... \$25 . \$245, sales Hongkong Rope Co... \$10 , \$20, buyers nsurances-Canton \$280, sellers China Fire..... \$20 ' \$50, buyers China Traders ..... 325 197. Hongkong Fire..... \$50 \$330, sellers North Chins ...... £5 Tis. 77 , sellers Umon.... \$100 . \$770, seriers Yangtaze .... \$60 | \$158, buyers Land and Building-HongkongLandInv. \$100 \$107, sellers Humphrey's Estate \$10 \$10.90, sellers Kowloon Land & B. 180 187, sales Shanghai Land... f Tis. 50 | Tis. 101. L Tis. 50 Tls. 102. West Point Building **3**500 ° lining --Charbonnages ..... Fcs. 250 | \$450, buyers Peak Tramways \$10 | \$12, buyers Philippine Co. ..... Kefineries-China Sugar ..... \$100 | \$119, reliefs Luson Sugar \$100 | \$21, sellers

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\$10 . \$8, sellers

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The M.M. str. Australian with the outward French Mail left Saigon Friday the 24th May at noon.

THE GIRMAN MAIL. The I.G.M. str. Prinz Sigismund left Sydney on Wednesday 7 p.m. the 8th May, and may be expected here on or about 30th May. The I.G.M. str. P. R. Ludpold, which left here on April 24th, has arrived at Genca on Tuesday the 21st May at 4 p.m. The I.G.M. s'r. Manila which left here 27th

April, has arrived at Sydney Tuesday the 21st May at a.m. THE INDIAN MAIL. The Indo-China str. Kutsang left Calcutta for this port via the Straits on 14th May, and

may be expected here on or about 30th May. The P. & O. str. Pechancur left Singapore for this port on the 22nd May at 3 30 p.m.

The British str. Coquet left Moji 18th May for this port, and is due to arrive here to day. The P. & O. str. Socotra left Singapore for this port on 18th May at 6.30 a.m.

The E. & A. str. Aldenham left Sydney on 16th instant for this port. The Ben Line str. Braemar sailed from Singapore 18th, and may be expected to arrive Kersaint, gunboat, 1250 tons, 6 guns, 2200 h.p.; here to-day morning.

The D.S. Co. str. Japan from Calcutta left Singapore yesterday afternoon, and may be Montealm, cruiser (Flagship of Vice-Admiral expected here to-day. The N.Y.K. Kagoshima Maru, (Bombay Line) left Shanghai for this port on the 22nd

May, and is expected here to-day. The H. A. L. str. Aberlour left Singapore on Olry, gunboat, Lieut, Greilier, Yangtse 22nd May p.m., and may be expected here on Monday the 27th May at p.m.

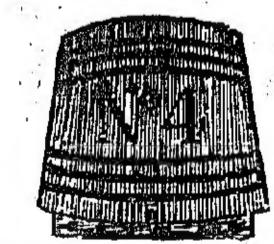
The J.-C.-J. L. str. Tjibodas left Kutchinolzu via Amoy for the port on the 21st May, and may be expected here on or about the 29th May. The T.K.K. str. America Maru will sail from Yokohama on the 24th May, and is therefore due to arrive at Hongkong via Manila on the 3rd June.

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MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA AND JAPAN STATION.

AUSTRIAN. Kaiser Franz Josef I. Austrian cruiser, 4,309, Capt. Ferdinand Bubbay, 12th April - Sing. spore 6th April.

FRENCH. Allonette, river gunboat, Lieut, Millet, Cochin-Argus, gunboat, 125 tons, guns, 500 h.p., Lieut, Jeannel, Canton

Caronade, gunboat, Lient, Kerchnel, Saigon D'Assas, cruiser 4,000 tons, 31 guns, 9500 h.p. Com. Baie d'Along Decidee, gunboat 645 tous, 10 guns, 1,000 h.p., Lient.-Comdr. L'Eost, Haiphong

D'Entrecasteaux, French cruiser, 8,000, Capt. Tracau, Hongkong Descartes, cruiser, 3985 tons, 14 guns, 5500 h.p. Commander Amet, Baie D'Along

Dupetit Thouars, armoured cruiser, 10,014 tons, Capt. Passerat de Silans, Saigon. Esturgeon, enhanine, Saigon Francisque, destroyer, 830 tons, 7 guns, 6300 Lieut, Garresu. Hogokonguus, 20,200 b.p., Captain Ridoux, Saigon

Guichen, protected cruiser, flagship of Rear Admiral Boisse, Captain Tracon, Saigon Henri Riviere, gunboat. Lieut. Portier, Haiphong

Jacquin, river gunboat, Lieut, Le Corolle Annam-Tonkin, reserve Javeline, destroyer, 330 tops, 7 gans, 300 h.p., Lieut, Sagost Duvauroux, Saigon

Comdr. Simon, Saigon Lyax, submarine, Lieut. Armbruster, Suigen Richard, Commander in Chios), 9700 tons, 12 . guns, 19,600 b.p., Capt. Martel

Mousquet, destroyer, Lieut. Duchemin, Baie d'Along Peike, gunboat, Lieut, Marchand, Tongku

Perie, submarine, Saigon Pistolet, destroyer, Lieut, de Reinach-Worth, Baie d'Along Protée, submarine, Lieut, Glorieux, Saigon

Rapier, destroyer, 330 tons, Lieut, Vincent de Brichignac, Saigon Redoutable, battleship, (in reserve) 9437 tons, 8 guns, 6071 h.p., Rear Admiral de Marolles,

Sabre, destroyer, 330 tons, Lieut. Mallies, Hongkong Styx. armoured gunbost, 1796 tons, 10 guns, 1700 b.p., Lieut. Duc. Saigon Surprise, ganboat, 629 tons, 2 guns, 900 h.p., Lieut. Roque, Haiphong

Taking, gunboat, Yangtsze Takou, destroyer, Com. Terquem, Saigon Vanban, torpedo-depot (reserve), 6150 tons, 23 guns, 4560 h.p., Lieut, ----, Hodgay Vigilante, gunboat, 123 tons, 7 gins, 500 h.p., Lient, Bruguou, Canton

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Tiger, gunboat, 200 tons, 10 guns, 1300 b.p., Commander V. Abeken Tsingtau, ganboat, 170 tons, 5 gans, 1300 h.p., Lieut. Brehmer Vaterland, gunboat, Lieut. Toussaint Vorwarts, gamboat, - tons, 3 gams, 500 h.p., Lieut. de Sposseti

ITALIAN. Marco Polo, cruiser, 3,600 tons, Capt. Constantino Verde PORTUGUESE.

Rio Lima, cruiser, 720, tons, 7 gans, Macao. Askold, Russian cruiser, 6,500, Glisian, 4th April-Saigon 3rd April.

Leytenant Dydymott, Russian gunboat, 66, A. S. Cherbinin, 14th May—from Odessa. UNITED STATES. Colorado, armoured erniser, Captain Sidney A Staunton

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West Virginia, armoured cruiser, (flagship of Rear Admiral Brownson), Capt. Comvay H. Arnold

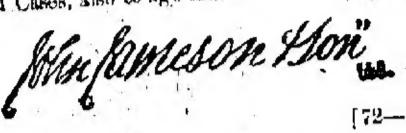
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MILITARY SERVICE IN JAPAN.

With Army matters so much to the front as they are everywhere at this moment it may not be amiss to explain that in practice it has been found possible to drill a Japanese recruit sufficiently in from four to six months to fit him to take his place in the fighting line, a very large proportion of the men who saw service in Manchuria having had no further preliminary training than is here indicated. Thus there is no insurmountable difficulty in producing soldiers with half a year's drilling or even with less in an emergency, but it means continuous hard work, undertaken with some very strong incentive. It cannot be denied, moreover, that in a general way military commanders would prefer, were the choice to be offered them, to have under them troops which had undergong a longer and more thorough tealning than it is practicable to give within the limits of the period of time above mentioned. The average rate of wastage in a campaign is so high, however, that rapid reinforcement must be provided for, and it is computed by competent authorities that 5 per cent, monthly is not at all too liberal an Estimate to form of the reduction that would take place, varying, of course, according to climate, feeting, character of tasks involved, &c., in an army not systematically reinforced from time to time. Were it left to dwindle by natural processes of wastage a force of balfa million men would become 475,000 after one month, 367,446 in six months, and 260,608 at the expiration of one year. Some of the sick will b-ing a King from his first breath. Sagasta "Nonpareil" is the form under which we recover no doubt and rejoin after the lapse of weeks or mouths, though of these who have to be sent home for treatment but a small percentage will be back in the fighting line in less than six months. Allowing, however, for these returns to the ranks, and taking the not loss as only 4 per cent, per month, which is declared to be a very low estimate, indeed in the light of actual experience, the army of half a million will, if the was age be not provided for, muster less than 300,000 at the end of twelve months. We have had experience in recent times of what this wastage means for us in connection with the eampaign in Manchuria, though our losses from sickness and disease were by comparison remarkably low, and the statement above made as regards the time requisite to drill a raw recruit | classes. sufficiently for the purpose of putting him at unce on active service is based on what in reality

more than once was done in order to replace

notual wastage during the late war. journal does know in Japan to-day, what a large share of public attention is necessarily attracted in Great Britain to this vital question of national defence-a subject in which we have ourselves ever been compelled, situated as, we are on the flank of Asia, to take the utmost interest as a people lest we should be caught napping-we may be forgiven for saying that we feel the greatest and most sympathetic concern in respect of the measures which are now being discussed for the higher development and reorganisation of the means which you possess for rendering the United Kingdom secure from attack. We repeat -the means which you possess for there can he no doubt that you have magnificent material, and only want to be convinced of the necessity for making use of it. Were you to be seriously threatened we know in Japan that you as nation would be in arms instantly, though this is not quite what is meant by "a nation in arms." Six monthsdrill, if it were possible to give uninterrupted time and attention to it, however, would, as we have endeavoured to show, actually make of you an armed nation, but it is, as we can quite comprehend, almost impossible for you to give so much time to even a national duty without imperilling other interests of hardly less importance to the existence of the country. Commerce, for example, cannot be neglected. But " where there's a will there's a way," as you say—and as we likewise say in Japan, by Church, the army and the navy, the royal house- First of June in 1794. This ship, from which the way-end when the idea takes hold of the people they will give their minds to drilling and will contrive to find time for it. What is needed is the incentive. "In peace there's nothing so becomes a man as modest stillness and humility," as the immortal Shakespears wrote, but this is surely no bar to quiet preparation for eventualities, and although he knew that "when the blast of war blows in (your) ears "you "imitate the action of the tiger "--- stiffening the sinews and summoning up the blood-it would seem to be an additional advantage, if not an ab clute necessity, in these modern days to be well prepared for every emergency beforehand, and not to have to do things in a harry. It would be the height of presemption in even the most genuine admirers of the British nation to suggest what might constitute adequate defensive measures for the protection of the British Isles, and the views of the experia themselves must differ enormonaly as a matter of course but perhaps it may be allowable to hazard the remark that the Continental armies, as we well know, are so excellently organised that were danger to become imminent at any time from that direction an available force of half a million of combatants, thoroughly equipped with the martial spirit, of good bodily constitution, and efficiently trained, would be none too many for the purposes of a sturdy defence of Britain, it having, moreover, all the means behind it of systematic reinforcement by combatants fully equal in these requirements to the first line, so long as the struggle might last. And this, it is needless toadd, is in . no sense a provision for the retention of your possessions beyond the seas, the adequate defenceof which would rest with the forces that would be on the spot at the time of war breaking out, coupled with the services to be rendered-

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admittedly incalculable, however-of your

magnificent Navy. There is a widespread dis-

position to think that a great war cannot occur

without ample warning of its coming to pass being

given to those directly concerned. We venture

to hold the opinion that this belief is scarcely

justified by the experience of the recent years

and that any nation that may place dependence

upon the receipt of ample notice from an

antigonist of his intentions will be apt to

find itself mistaken whenever a great crisis

may arise. It is not too much to say, and

we trust that the statement will be accepted

as implying the utmost respect and goodwill,

that in Japan we watch from a distance the

progress of the debate on matters military

which now cocupies so large a share of your

attention with the firmest conviction that

Britain will rouse herself from her lethargy

forthwith for the fulfilment of her most lofty

in respect of these concerns and fit herse.

ambitions.

A Judgeship is an old-age pension for a barrister who has no practice at the Bar and a near relative in the Cabinet. A Joke (made by a Judge, is that in which there is no point.

A Summing up is length without breadth. A Litigant is a rara avis.

A Brief is a much rarer avis. The Common Law has nothing to do with common Bonse. A Law Student is an undergraduate who comes up to town for a couple of nights every

(a) If white, he may become a barrister. (b) If black, he may be arrested for stealing umbrellas.

Marlborough-Street Police-Court is the place

Boatrace. A Lunatic is a person who commits a carefully thought-out murder. A Pontius Pilate is the judge who sentences

that person to death. A Murderer is a Home Secretary who allows the law of the land to take its course, A Reprieve is, generally, a miscarriage of

A Theatre is not a Law Court.

A. Verdict is the opinion of twelve men on subject which they don't understand. Bankcuptcy is the result of employing our legal system for righting wrongs.

BIRTH OF A SPANISH PRINCE.

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present King, whose child, however, does not and outward seeming among the ships of our enjoy the distinction which was his father's, of Navy. was then the Premier to whom fell the task of first meet the name back in the days of Eliza-

the ceremonies of Court life. the world with quaint observance and stately "Philip and Mary," so the Sovereign receremony. The abolition of the Salie law in pamed the ship, and in compliment to its 1830 insures the future succession of a princers premier position called it the "Nonpareil." to the throne, should the reigning severeigns | Under this name the vessel par sed throughout have no son born to them. But it goes without the reign of Elizabeth, and on her death undersaying that the Spaniards would far rather owe went both change of form and name again. their allegiance to a king then a queen, and so In 1603, James I. Anglicised the name of the when the birth of an infant in direct succession | rebuilt ship to "Nonsuch," and three decades is imminent a boy is ardently desired by all later we find her still in existence forming

queen is expected clothes and nurses -- as in quarters of a century, and by 1646 a second other households-are subjects of paramount "Nonsuch" had come into being, and was importance. In the present instance, the fighting under Blake in the Commonwealth Knowing, as everyone who can read a foreign young Queen of Spain has had presents from names. To her succeeded a third in 1668, Battenberg, has been for some months.

The Asturias is noted for its handsome women, a number of whom are always summoned to the palace at Madrid prior to an expected birth. From these women one is finally selected. and the rejusted ones, to compensate them for their disappointment, are sent home literally loaded with presents as well as with a sum of money, and their entire expenses to and fro are also defrayed. Quite naturally this office is her the "Sans Pareil." thought most highly of, and whoever is selected is a person to be envied, for she occupies an extremely prominent position throughout the duties are ended she receives a monthly pension and is in fact a rich woman for one of her class.

lace and silver chains of office. is imminent certain high dignitaries are, in Lulace, these consisting of representatives of the hold, the Prime Minister and deputations from the Cortes. The Mistress of the Robes must perform. These officials all assemble in an the tidings of the expected event naturally gets | known throughout the city and the inbabitants with one second are wont to assemble in the Plaza del Oriente and vicinity. From here they can watch for the appearance of the additional royal standard-with its broad red and vellow folds showing the lions of Aragon and the castles of Castile-which it is customary to

run up when the birth of the infant is announced. In the room before mentioned the distinguished personages await in anxious expectation the appearance in their midst of the Mistress of the Robes, whose coming will announce the royal birth. As in England, the lady who holds this position is always a duchess, and her presence on this occasion is one of the duties of her office, while the momentous message with which she is charged by the royal physician is delivered to the Prime Minister, who in his turn makes the announcement to all assembled.

Before many minutes have elapsed the grandees and officials have ocular demonstration of the birth of the royal infant, for the child is brought into their presence carefully laid upon a richly carved silver salver, which salver has been first of all artistically covered with costly cushion, trimmed with deep donness of exquisite lace. Then, in accordance with precedent, the salver, with its precious barden, is intrusted to the arms of the Prime Minister, to be by him formally presented to all present, who great the infant with profound bows and subdued vivats. The Premier it is who also makes the necessary announcement to Parliament on the same or following day, in accordance with the hour of

The strains of the Marcha Real-which bails from the time of Carlos V.- is heard in different parts of the city. Guns are fired from the fortresses and dépôts and Te Deums are sung in the churches.

The christening of an infant son or daughter of the Majesties of Spain takes place in accordance with the dogma of the Roman Catholic | Pareil" drifted away from the scene of battle, Church, within one week of the birth. The to be captured by the "Majestic." Tradition ceremony is always held in the private has it that Capiain Troubridge was invited by chapel of the palace, and though this is of the captain of the "Sans Pareil" to have down somewhat limited dimensions, it is oustomary the colours, an honour which he declined Later for a certain portion to be set spart for however, with some fifty of his old hands from the accommodation of the poor of the city, the "Castor," he navigated the price to who are admitted without ticket. Also many of Spithead, where she attracted much attention, these people are allowed to take up a position and was voted a ship of incomparable beauty. in the long galleries of the palace through Of the fierceness of her fight there is proof in which the state procession passes on its way to the tale of her dead. For she lost 270 men, the scored edifice. The font used is always and 120 wounded, a higher total than that of brought hither specially for the occasion from the Monastery of San Domingo de Gurman, and has been used for the christening of royal children since the Middle Ages.

It is customary for the Mistress of the Robes to carry the infant, while the nearest relatives, the sponsors, and the representative of the Pope walk in front and on either side. The caremony is rather a protracted | one-more especially in the ores of a prince, who at the close of the charch function has to be invested with certain orders or chivalry, this being carried out with much

prescribed dignity. dress and all the ladies in full evening dress. the sailorman's example and calling it Sampan.

A Prisoner is an innocent man who is new | All wear any orders to which they may be allowed to convict himself out of his own entitled, and there is a wonderful display of the Spanish historical jewels, for which the ladies . of the country are noted. Many of these, as to go to on the morning after the Varsity well as much of the lace of mantillas and robes, date from the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries. A Madrid telegram states that King Alfonso has decided to name the child Fernando, as a compliment to the Andalusians, San Fernando being the partron saint of Seville.

H.M.S. "SAMPAN."

The old "Sans Pareil," known to most seamen as the "Sampan," passes out of the Navy in a few days, for she is to be offered for sale to the shipbreakers, says the Globe. She is not old in years, for it was only in 1887 that she was launched at Blackwall, but ship design has made vast strides sine; she was the pride of the Fleet, and to-day the ironclad "Sans Pareil" is little more useful as a vessel of war than the wooden wall "Sans Pareil" that she succeeded would be. There has been, in the latter days of her existence, a peculiar appro-Within a week of King Alfonso's birthday, printeness in her name, for literally there was Queen Victoria Eugenie presented her youthful none such other in the Navy. When built she Royal spouse with a son and heir, and there is had a sister, first collect the "Ranown," later rejoicing throughout the ancient kingdom of re-named the "Victoria." But after that Sprin. It is only twenty-one years on May 17th ill-fated vessel sank in the Mediterrane to off since the last heir was born in the person of the Tripoli the "Sans Pareil" was unique in form

presenting the child on a richly carved silver beth. When the Virgin Queen ascended the salver to each of the company of grandees throne there was among her Fleet a vessel that nesembled, and it is recorded that his infant had seen twenty-seven years service, as fine Majesty loudly resented his early initiation into a ship as any she possessed, and flagship of the Senior Admiral. But this ship bore a A Spanish prince or princess is ushered into name distasteful to Elizabeth. It was called part of the Ship Money Fleet. Her term was When the coming of the future king or then nearly over, however; she had seen three-

all directions, the ladies of her adopted country a two-gun frigate that was not a year especially having forwarded numerous robes affect before she had assisted in the destruction richly trimmed with costly lace. Her Majesty's of thirty-six Algerine corsairs. A hard fighter own nurse for the royal baby has been chosen, was this third "Nonsuch," and manned by hardin accordance with -panish custom, from the fighting men. In 1689 she engaged two peasantry of the Asturias. Dr. Glendinning, a French vessels at once, and in the press of the British doctor, was in attendance on the Queen, engagement her captain was shot dead. There with whom her mother, Princess Henry of was no lientenant on board, so her boatswain, one Robert Simcox, took command, and so gallantly, did he fight his ship that both the French ships struck to him. For this service Simcox was promoted to the rank of captain. and reappointed to the ship in which he had wou his faurels. Six years later the "Nonsuch" passed out of the British Navy, a prize to the all-conquering Duguey Trouin, and the French gladly took the ship into their service, renaming

For a century that name remained their property, though in the meantime we had three Nonsuchs" in our service. Each of them first year or so of the baby's life, and when her | did good work, the battle roll of the third one including the fight between Howe and D'Estainy in 1778, the capture of St. Lucis, Her official dress consists of black velvet and | the action off Grenada in 1779; the capture of the "Belle Poule" in 1780, and Rodney's When the birth of the little prince or princess light with De Grasse in 1782. This "Nonsuch", the sixth to bear the name, ended her accordance with precedent, summoned to the service only a few months before we won the Sans Pareil," at the battle of the Glorious two-decker of 80 guns, launched in June, also be present, as she has a special duty to 1793. In May, 1794, while at sea on convoy duty, she fell in with and osptured the apartment adjoining that of the Queen, while British 32-gnn frigate, "Castor," .commanded by Captain Thomas Troubridge, the boyhood friend of Nelson, and his companion in that first cruise on board the "Seahorse." There was no opportunity to land the prisoner, as orders came immediately afterwards for the " Sans Pareil," which was the flagship of Rear-Admiral Nielly, to rejoin the Commander-in-Chief. On the afternoon of May 30, the main body of the French Fleet was sighted and thus it came about that Captain Thomas Troubridge was present at the battle of the First of June, on board one of the enemy's ships. Before the tight Troubridge and Admiral Nielly's flagcuptain were in conversation on the quarterdeck of the "Sans Pareil." It was about eight o'clock in the morning, and the British Fleet had heve to. The French captain turned to the prisoners and said. "Ah, Monrieur le Capitaine, there will be no fighting to-day, I fancy. Your admiral will not venture But Troubridge, who had been reading the signals made from the English flagship replied, Not at all, just wait a little monsieur. The English sailors never like-to fight on an empty stomach. There's the signal

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